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The targets of the Viet Cong and North Vietnamese included two U. S. division headquarters bases, two airfields, an infantry patrol base and a U. S. Marine convoy which was ambushed just below the demilitarized zone.

But at Khe Sanh, the Marine outpost in the northwest corner of the country where U. S. commanders believe the biggest Red offensive of the war is being readied, the U. S. Command said action was "limited to sporadic motar and artillery duels."

Communist forces were scheduled to start a seven-day truce at 1 a.m. Saigon time Saturday, or noon EST Friday. The allies have announced their cease-fire for Tet, the new year festival, will run for only 36 hours, from 6 p.m. Monday to 6 a.m. Wednesday.

In one of the Communist attacks Thursday night, on the Lai Khe base where the U. S. 1st Infantry Division has its headquarters 19 miles north of Saigon, Communist troops crept to within striking distance of the officers' club, then zeroed in with grenades fired from bazookas.

The roof of the club, crashed down, killing five Army officers, an American Red Cross man, two American construction men and an 18-year-old Vietnamese girl who worked in the club. Another 21 Army men, most of them officers, were wounded.

Communist troops and demolition squads slipped into the An Khe and Holloway airfields 50 miles apart in the central highlands before dawn under the cover of mortar fire.

At An Khe they damaged at least one $2.5 million C130 cargo plane, an Army helicopter, two fire trucks and a jeep. Two U. S. and 13 Communist troops were killed and 11 U. S. troops wounded in exchanges of fire.

Only light damage was reported at Holloway, an airstrip used by Army helicopters and light planes. Twenty Americans were wounded, but enemy casualties were not known.

Near the Cambodian border to the north of Lai Khe Communist gunners slammed 25 motar rounds into a patrol base of the U. S. 25th Infantry Division, killing three infantrymen and wounding another 30.

In the northern 1st Corps Area, enemy gunners lobbed 50 mortar rounds onto an artillery unit at Phy Bai, headquarters of the U. S. 3rd Marine Division. The Communist forces tried a ground attack at the same time, but the artillerymen drove them back with small arms and machine-guns. Ten Marines were wounded, and enemy casualties were not known.

After Life of Excitement, Adventure 'There's No Finer Place than Morley'

By Barbara Lacy

What happens to young boys who run away from home and join the circus?

If they are lucky, like Bill Ballard, their parents will understand and they will become the special assistant of a performer, such as the late Clyde Beatty, the lion tamer.

It's hard to say what the average dare-devil looks like. Perhaps he should be a superbuilt Don Juan, who's just a bit fool hardy.

Short and stocky Ballard, a new resident of Morley, has a healthy glow. He lost his hair when he was 18 and with smiling Irish eyes he is more all-American than romantic Italian.

"Dad was a farmer, near Wills Point, Tex," Ballard recalls. "One day I was picking cotton alongside a railroad. I hated to pick cotton and there was dew on it which made it even worse. The train came; I got on and didn't get off until I got to Dallas.

"There the train stopped alongside a fairground. I got off the train and obtained a job with the canvas crew of the Barnum and Bailey circus. I was paid $1 a day plus brass, which could be exchanged for food at the food shack."

"I was 13 years old.

"Oh, I wrote my parents;" he said in answer to a question. "They accepted it because they knew I was doing what I wanted to do. I loved every minute of it."

"Clyde Beatty took a liking to me and hired me to take care of his cats. At that time he was the only man to work lions and tigers in the same cage. He was a fine person; an artist in handling animals. During his act you didn't disturb him. He'd talk to his cats like you would talk to people."

"He had one mean cat named Satan. No, there was no put on with Beatty. His act was the real thing. He had a movie contract and asked me to go to Hollywood with him. But I didn't want to go. I couldn't see any future in the circus; with moving around and all.

"I worked with Beatty for several summers; going home to school in the winter. I loved every minute of it. I can't stay away from the circus now," he said, shaking his head and smiling.

Ballard rested a minute, then began chapter two.

"Next I joined an automobile and motorcycle thrill show as a stunt driver. I started working as a roustabout - that's what they called the boys who took care of the equipment."

Ballard lit another cigarette and continued.

"One day I asked if I could try a couple of stunts. They said I could.

"I suppose you've seen an auto stunt show?" he questioned. "One of the acts is to go up and off a ramp, over another car or truck.

"That soon was my job. The trick was to hit the skis, that's what they called the ramp, at a certain speed. If you did it right your car would set down on all fours. The weight of the car determined the speed. It was 50 miles per hour with the Plymouth I had.

"Once you learn the trick there's not much to it," Ballard said.

One of his most daring acts was riding a motorcycle through a burning board wall.

"The wall was made up of 12 boards, one foot high and one inch thick," he said. "The trick was to break the boards with the handle bars of the motorcycle and to keep my body lower than the handle bars. That way I'd skim through the hole the cycle made.

"The wall was doused with gasoline and lit just before I went through it.

"Oh I had some close calls," he admitted, "but I was never hurt. No, I wasn't scared or I wouldn't have done it.

"Next I worked for the American Air show. I'd parachute from a plane at 10,000 feet holding a five-pound sack of flour with a hole cut in one corner. As I'd fall I'd spiral and the trail of flour behind me looked like smoke from the ground. Spectators thought I was on fire.

"How did I get started?" Bill laughed. His answer was the same as before: "I asked the boss if I could try it."

He said I could." We didn't have any instruments to tell us when we reached 5,000 feet and should pull the cord. You just jumped and when you felt you had reached 5,000 feet, you pulled the cord.

"I did have one accident," he said with a shake of his head. "Heat affects the spread of a parachute. I jumped out over an asphalt highway in Greenville, Tex., and the heat coming up from the highway slapped me into a cotton compress.

"I wasn't hurt, just shook up.

"The first time you jump you're apprehensive because you don't know how it feels. Later, you always think this may be the time the parachute won't work, but it always did.

His parachuting career ended with the coming of the war. It was 1941 and Ballard knew he would soon be drafted, so he enlisted in the army air force Feb. 4, 1942. It was also the end of a singing group, The Free State Boys, he was part of and guitar lessons he had been giving on the radio.

He met his wife, Elizabeth, a registered nurse who was originally from Northeast Missouri, when they were stationed in Clovis N.M. They had been married four days when he was assigned four-year duty, which took him to China, India and Burma.

He was in Burma when the Ledo road was opened for the second time and present when the first convoy came through.

He met the late General and Mrs. Chiang Kai Chek when they were guests of his outfit for Christmas dinner.

"We talked with them in English about Christmas and how we wished that we were home. I remember that for dinner we had a delicious canned turkey."

In Burma, Ballard and three companions were cut off from the rest of their platoon by the Japanese. They were in a jungle; the animals were wild, the natives were headhunters.

When their three-day supply of sea rations was gone, Ballard lead the hunt to capture a monkey.

They caught one on the outskirts of a head hunters village. Ballard suggested that since he didn't have any hair he would not appeal to the headhunters. His logic appealed to them for he returned with rice and made the "best monkey stew!"

They were rescued soon afterward.

When the war was over Ballard returned to the states traveling through India, North Africa, Egypt just to see them.

It had been four years since he had seen his wife of four days. Thus, he was glad to do what she asked; give up parachuting and other dare-devil jobs.

"She said she didn't want to be married to a stunt man," Ballard said.

So, he found work as an investigator for the state public health department in Dallas.

His two children, Charles, a senior in geology of Missouri University in Columbia, and Anne, a freshman in occupational therapy at the University, were born in Dallas.

Ballard was recalled to active duty in 1950. After two more years of service he decided to make it his career.

His family was able to join him in Germany during his tour of duty. The housing project they lived in still had shell holes from World War II.

They were in Germany when President Kennedy was assassinated.

"The base was thrown into red alert, which means that all planes and missiles were turned on, ready to go if we got the signal, within three minutes of the first shots," he said.

"It's hard for us to believe Oswald alone shot the President; we feel the whole story hasn't been told."

The Ballard family enjoyed their European duty. Their favorite country was Great Britain.

Ballard retired Jan. 31, 1967 after 20 years in the army air force. He had won five battle stars, been cited by President Roosevelt two times and President Truman once. He had visited every country in the world and been around the world twice.

Where is paradise? I asked him, where would you like to live more than any place else.

"Right here," he said firmly.

"We've just bought a house in Morley and joined the Baptist church. I'm business manager of the Sikeston Regional Diagnostic Clinic.

"I'm also a member of the Rotary club. I've no desire to jump out of an airplane or do any of that again, except see a circus.

"We think that there's no finer place in all the world than Morley."

BILL BALLARD, business manager at the Sikeston regional diagnostic clinic, hasn't always worked at a desk.

Fined for Driving While Intoxicated

Leroy Hart, 221 Luther St., and Euvion Dozier, route two, Sikeston, were each charged with driving while intoxicated and fined $56 Thursday night in city court.

Judge James Sickal presided.

Willie James Allen, 1701 Washington St., was fined $31 on a charge of disorderly conduct and $21 on a charge of peace disturbance.

Billy R. Long, 617 Hart St., was fined $15 on a charge of careless and imprudent driving.

Michael Hadley, 2120 Betty St., was fined $16 on a charge of careless and imprudent driving.

Thomas Gray, 311 Petty St., was fined $31 on a charge of speeding.

Jerry Fisher, Miner, was fined $21 on a charge of speeding.

Judith Cooper, 205 Greer St., was fined $15 on a charge of speeding.

Lloyd V. Williams, 309 Kramer Drive, was fined $11 on a charge of speeding.

Gilbert Dover Jr., 800 Pine St., was fined $41 on a charge of speeding, $15 on a charge of careless and imprudent driving, and $12 on a charge of running a stop sign. Four other charges of running stop signs were dismissed on payment of $6 court costs on each charge and charges of resisting arrest and careless and imprudent driving against Dover were dismissed.

A charge of speeding against Thomas Brock, Oklahoma street, was dismissed, but he was fined $20 on a charge of running a stop sign.

Carl L. Launius, Morehouse, was fined $17 on a charge of speeding.

Jerry Cooper, 409 Illinois Ave., was fined $7 on a charge of failure to pay parking ticket.

John Russell Felker, 708 Taylor St., was fined $56 on a charge of careless and imprudent driving.

Four persons were fined $12 each on charges of public intoxication: Cerill Young, 605 South Frisco St., Leo McCormick Jr., 421 Pam St., James Dozier, route two, Sikeston, and Harold Stout, route three, Sikeston.

Two Treated for Hand, Finger Hurts

Two were treated for injured hand and fingers Thursday at the Missouri Delta Community hospital.

Kathy Carmack, Morehouse, cut left hand on door; Jerry Helms, caught fingers between pulley and belt of press while at work.

Farm Programs To Be Explained

NEW MADRID -- June C. Ransburgh, office manager of Agricultural, Stalibization and Conservation Services, announced that five meetings have been scheduled.

The meetings will be to explain the feed-grain, wheat and certification programs for 1968 all are scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m.

Monday at Gideon in the high school study hall; Tuesday in the Risco school cafeteria; Wednesday in the Conran Masonic hall; Thursday, Matthews high school and next Friday New Madrid court house.

Weather

Increasing cloudiness tonight with low around 40. Saturday considerable cloudiness and a little cooler with a slight chance for showers. High Saturday in 50s. Probabilities of measureable precipitation 10 per cent tonight, 20 Saturday.

FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Temperatures Saturday through Wednesday will average slightly below normal. Normal high in the mid 40s. Normal low around 30. Precipitation will average one-half to one inch occurring as rain or snow over the weekend and again about mid week.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today were 40 and 28.

Sunset today - - - - - 5:16 p.m.

Sunrise tomorrow - - 7:06 a.m.

The moon rises - - - 5:47 a.m. tomorrow and rides low, much lower than the sun ever does.

PROMINENT STARS

Aldebaran high in south-8:10 p.m.

Regulus in the east - - 8:48 p.m.

Sirius in the south - - -10:19 p.m.

(The brighter "star" below Regulus is the planet Jupiter).

Man to See More of Wife in Vietnam

WICHITA (AP) - George Matassarin, a young Army lieutenant who leaves Monday for Vietnam, may be able to see his wife more often there than he has done since their marriage in 1966.

His wife, Pat, will be going there too, Feb. 3. She is an Army nurse, also with the rank of lieutenant. He is a helicopter pilot in he medical service corps.

Pat credits their double assignment to an act of kindess she performed for a colonel who came to visit a fellow officer while she was working at Fitzsimmons General Hospital in Denver, Colo.

She said the colonel had a button off his jacket and she volunteered to sew it on for him.

"We got to talking and I told him how George had gotten his orders to go to Vietnam. We've never been stationed together since we were married, and I had volunteered to go, too," she said.

Pat said the colonel returned to the Pentagon, spoke to the people involved, "and I got a nice letter from him, saying we would be stationed together in Vietnam if it was at all possible."

The couple was married December, 1966 while in an officers' basic orientation program at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

After Ft. Sam Houston, Pat was sent to Denver and George went to helicopter flight schools in Texas and Alabama.

They are visiting his parents in Wichita, Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Matassarin.

George was graduated from Andover High School in 1961, attended the University of Kansas, and was graduated from Wichita State University in 1966. Pat is from Lancaster, Ohio.

Koreans Propose to Punish Pueblo Crew

SEOUL (AP) - North Korea said today the crew of the U.S. intelligence ship Pueblo "must be punished by law." It also declared that any attack by the United States would be met by "a hundred-fold, thousand-fold retaliation."

Shooting incidents continued north of Seoul as more North Koreans tried to cross the demilitarized zone into South Korea, and South Korean and U.S. forces kept up the hunt for remnants of the band of 31 North Koreans that invaded Seoul Sunday night in an attempt to assassinate President Chung Hee Park.

Another American soldier, the second in three days, was killed just below the truce zone, but U.S. troops killed two North Koreans Thursday and Friday.

South Korean troops killed two more members of the assassination band, raising their total to 21 dead and one captured. But the South Korean toll since Sunday climbed to 32 killed, including eight civilians, and 42 wounded.

Diplomatic Paths Explored As Reservists Get Ready

WASHINGTON (AP) - Nearly 14,800 air reservists prepared to muster for indefinite active duty as the United States pushed along diplomatic paths to a possible bloodless settlement of the Pueblo crisis.

President Johnson's approach obviously was to couple an air of determination with a readiness to use diplomacy in gaining release from Communist North Korea of the captured U.S. Navy intelligence ship and the 83 American aboard.

The diplomatic paths included an urgent session of the 15-nation U.N. Security Council to consider what U.S. Ambassador Arthur J. Goldberg called a "grave threat to peace."

In seeking the session for today, Goldberg said he hoped it would lead to the immediate return of the Pueblo and her crew.

In Moscow, U.S. Ambassador Llewellyn E. Thompson, who had no luck Tuesday in persuading the Soviets to act as intermediary in the dispute with North Korea, made another call at the foreign ministry today.

While the U.S. embassy made no comment on the new attempt, a Soviet source said the ambassador again was unsuccessful in getting the Soviet government to play some role in unraveling the crisis. This source, who cannot be identified, said his government has no intention of getting involved.

The prospect that Moscow might relent looked rather dim after the official Soviet news agency Tass said Thursday that North Korea acted "rightfully," and denounced the call-up of U.S. air reservists as a "threatening act."

The North Koreans also talked tough. The official newspaper of the North Korean Communist Party said Friday the Pueblo's crewmen "must be punished by law."

It was not clear whether this meant the North Koreans planned to try the U.S. Navy men on some kind of charges, or would demand their punishment as the price of their being freed.

Any move to try the Americans would almost certainly inflame members of Congress, some of whom already are demanding direct military action to reclaim the ship and its men.

Navy sources in Washington said messages from the ship's master, Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher, furnished evidence that the crew blew up the Pueblo's secret coding machine and that the North Koreans evidently got "nothing that really compromises us."

In Congress, Rep. Paul Findley, R-Ill., offered a resolution that would place Congress on record as backing Johnson in any try at recovering the Pueblo and its company.

North Korea called itself fully prepared to meet any attack by the United States, and threatened it would "deal a hundredfold, thouand-fold retaliation."

The tone of these statements suggested North Korea is in no mood to listen to the Security Council even if that body should act. North Korea is not a U.N. member and has a history of ignoring the world organization's efforts to solve peacefully divided Korea's disputes.

White House Press Secretary George Christian said Johnson's move, through Goldberg, to bring the U.N. into the problem "reflects his earnest desire to settle this matter promptly and, if at all possible, by diplomatic means."

What will happen if diplomatic means should fail remained very much in doubt.

The call-up of 14,787 Air National Guardsmen, Air Force Reservists and Naval Air Reservists will serve to give the United States a little more airpower at a time when pilot and plane resources are spread thin because of the Vietnam war.

The men tapped by the call-up have no way of knowing how long they will serve. This is the third call-up since 1961. The partial mobilization during that year's Berlin crisis took about 148,000 Army and Naval Reservists. They were on duty about 10 months.

About 14,000 Air Force Reservists in troop-carrier outfits were placed on active duty for a month during the 1962 Cuban missile crisis.

Wall Street experienced a strong rally Thursday in part because of the limited scope of the mu ster and in part because of an unfounded rumor that the Pueblo had been freed.

Current plans are to keep the air reservists at their home bases. That means some may be able to go home nights.

Sources said they expect the air reservists to function as back-up for overseas forces, possibly including additional regular flying units that may be moved out into the Pacific, closer to the scene of the latest crisis.

For the most part, the Air Guard and Air Reserve planes are old models. The Naval Reserve aircraft are a bit more modern.

But Guard leaders say their squadrons are full strength and fully equipped, and could be sent overseas immediately if needed.

Army and Marine sources said they have not been given any sign that any of their reserve ground units would be called up.

Author Suggests North Koreans Believe War With U.S. Inevitable

By WILLIAM L. RYAN
AP Special Correspondent

A former general in the Soviet Army, drilled by the Kremlin in how to communize North Korea, now occupies the spotlight in a tense crisis which conceivably could bring his Russian mentors into confrontation with the United States.

Kim Il Sung, premier of North Korea, is described by those who knew him in the old days as a man who never had an original thought. His thoughts today may not be original, but if a pro-Communist writer's reports about them are true, he is convinced that a new war with the United States is all but inevitable.

The writer is Wilfred Burchett, an Australian who for two decades has reported from Communist capitals and warfronts and who often echoes the hardest of Communist lines. Burchett describes the views of Kim and other North Korean leaders in a book, "Again Korea." to be published by International Publishers of New York. It is written wholly from the Communist viewpoint and places on the United States all the blame for tension in the Korean peninsula.

The way Burchett puts it, the North Korean leaders are convinced that for 18 years the United States has been plotting war against them, and they fully expect another round of Korean conflict.

Premier Kim, a roly-poly man of 56 who has been a Communist since his boyhood, is pictured as gloomily emphasizing that "things may be destroyed again" in North Korea, 15 years after the end of the Korean conflict of 1950-53.

Kim's representative on the Military Armistice Commission, Maj. Gen. Pak Chung Kook, is represented as feeling that there is "overwhelming evidence" that the United States is intent on launching a new war.

Burchett links rising tension to President Johnson's visit to South Korea in October 1966, comparing it with the 1950 visit by John Foster Dulles, then a State Department consultant, which the Communists insist was a prelude to carrying out plans for hostilities. Burchett claims that American strategy "seems aimed at building up incidents" to a point where North Koreans take countermeasures. Thereupon, he says, both the United States and Japan would go to war against North Korea. Japan once ruled Korea.

Burchett more than once has been able to predict Communist actions. He visited Premier Kim and other North Korean leaders in 1967, and thus the indication is that they were thinking long ago in terms of the inevitability of a resumed Korean war.

One important question is this: is the present taunting of the American eagle Kim's own idea? Did inspiration or encouragement come from the outside, and if so, from what source?

Despite Kim's reputation for lack of originality, this phase of the tension perhaps can be attributed to North Korean initiative. The Communists there have been keeping the Red Chinese at arm's length, and not long ago also indicated some independence from Moscow. The North Korean leaders seemed to have been annoyed with Moscow for not showing more belligerency toward the Americans in Asia.

Kim Il Sung may have been happier in the Stalin era, when he cut his political teeth. He studied in Moscow before World War II, joined a North Korean unit fighting beside the Russians against the Germans, and emerged as a major general in the Soviet Army.

Intelligence sources in Korea long ago pegged Kim as handpicked by Moscow to take over all Korea for communism. Under the protection of Soviet occupation troops, he was installed in Pyongyang in 1945, bearing the title of a North Korean marshal.

His real name is Kim Jung Sy.

Two Charged with Driving Offenses

Jimmy D. Bevills, McCrory, Ark., was charged by police at 2:30 a.m. today with driving while intoxicated and operating a motor vehicle with defective lights.

Bernadine I. Starnes, 905 Lora St., was charged by police at 11:50 a.m. Thursday with careless and imprudent driving. The car she was driving struck a parked car owned by Hazel M. Wallace, 800 North Kingshighway, in the 100 block of East Gladys street.

Firemen Quelch 2 Grass Fires

Firemen were called to extinguish two grass fires this morning. No damage was caused in either fire, but a shed at 523 William St., was threatened as wind whipped the fire on a vacant lot on the south side of the building.

The Fire Department was called to the scene at 10:34 a.m. and returned to Station No. 1, 405 West Malone, at 10:47 a.m.

The other grass fire was started from trash burning in a barrel at 2008 Kentucky at 10:15 a.m. today. It was extinguished and firemen returned to Station No. 2, 733 Greer St., at 10:35 a.m.

Hearing Determines Union Election Off

A hearing before the State Board of Mediation Thursday in Jefferson City resulted a decision not to hold an election in Sikeston among city and light department workers on the issue of joining the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers.

David Blanton and City Attorney Manuel Drumm attended the hearing representing the city of Sikeston.

The I.B.E.W., Local 702, with offices in West Frankfort, Ill. sought to prove in the hearing that a majority of the employes here wanted to join the union.

The union's petition requested the State Board of Mediation chairman be present for an election to be scheduled later in Sikeston. The city previously told union representatives an election would be held if the State Board of Mediation was represented.

The State Board of Mediations dismissed the union's petition on the grounds that union representatives at the hearing failed to sustain the burden of proof that they did represent a majority of the city light and water department employes.

Daniel C. Rogers, chairman of the State Board of Mediation, scheduled the hearing in compliance with an order directed to the board by the Missouri Supreme Court Jan. 8.

House Bill 166, which became law in October, 1967, provides the Board will resolve issues concerning the appropriateness of bargaining units and whether the union represents a majority of the employes of municipal and state governments.

The union had filed suit seeking to compel the board to perform this duty.

Plans for Home for Elderly Outlined

MORLEY -- Abram Hirschowitz, Oran businessman, spoke to the Rotary club last night on the need for a home for elderly. Roy Ragan, president, presided.

The name of Care Service Center has been proposed for the home of 150 rooms, located in central Scott County.

Hirschowitz, who has spent more than a month promoting the home, said that a steering committee has been formed, composed of, Robert Capshaw, Chaffee; Ollie Amick, Illmo; Hess Porter, Benton; K. M. Streeter, Painton; Joel Montgomery, Bob McCord and Bill Lewis, all of Sikeston.

The committee will gather information on building costs, seek information about a federal grant of funds and the amount of revenue bonds needed. The report will be presented to the Scott county court.

Speaker Urges Travel Close Generation Gap

Discussing a generation gap, Dr. Paul C. Carpenter, vice president of Culver-Stockton College Canton, said last night the church "must travel to relate itself to your flesh and blood."

He addressed more than 200 churchmen attending a dinner meeting at the American Legion Hall.

Dr. Carpenter said that the challenge was to bring relevance to the lives of men and he described youth as "the here and now generation" with reference to their interests.

He described youth "as a wonderful generation" and said that communication between them and their elders had broken down because older people have "withdrawn from the problems of the world." "You must relate yourself to their probelms," he said.

The speaker said that the church needs to "make a journey" to close the communications gap.

Dr. Carpenter was introduced by Earl Jarvis. Lenzie Beck was master of ceremonies. The Rev. Vernon Guttenfelder, pastor of the Tanner Street Church of God, introduced "The Cabriels", a singing trio, composed of Robert Williamson at the piano, Dan Lopp and Larry Murphy.

Memphis Woman Killed in Collision

o A Memphis woman was killed, and a passenger in her car is in critical condition, after a head-on collision Thursday at 10:55 p.m. on highway 84, one-half mile west of Caruthersville.

Avel Cleo Caperton, 36, Memphis, driver of a 1965 Mercury, was coming around a curve near Caruthersville, when her car was struck headon by a 1964 Ford pickup truck, driven by Wilburn Mathis, 46, Hayti. The state patrol charged that the truck was on the wrong side of the road.

The body of the Memphis woman was taken to the Dean Funeral Home in Caruthersville.

Betty Charleen Branham, 20, Caruthersville, a passenger in the Mercury, is in critical condition with head wounds and body cuts. She was taken to St. Joseph hospital in Memphis.

Mathis, received a broken left arm, fractured ribs and cuts on the head and body. He was taken to the Pemiscot County Memorial hospital in Hayti.

Two were injured in a one-car accident Thursday at 2:45 p.m. on highway 21, one mile south of Arcadia in Iron county.

The brakes of a 1948 International truck, driven by Everett Persons, 19, Pilot Knob, apparently failed, the patrol said, causing the vehicle to overrun a stop sign on highway E, across highway 21, and crashed into an embankment.

Persons received cuts on his face and jaw and a crushed left leg, and was transferred from a hospital in Ironton to Barnes hospital in St. Louis.

Jake Inman, 19, Flat River, a passenger, received a broken collarbone and was taken to the Ironton hospital.

Lyle Linyon, 46, Fairborn, Ohio, was injured Thursday at 5:15 a.m. on highway 60, one mile east of Dudley.

He was driving a 1967 Pontiac, when his car ran off the road and struck a bridge.

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The roof of the club, crashed down, killing five Army officers, an American Red Cross man, two American construction men and an 18-year-old Vietnamese girl who worked in the club. Another 21 Army men, most of them officers, were wounded.

Communist troops and demoliton squads slipped into the An Khe and Holloway airfields 50 miles apart in the central highlands before dawn under the cover of mortar fire.

At An Khe they damaged at least one $2.5 million C130 cargo plane, an Army helicopter, two fire trucks and a jeep. Two U. S. and 13 Communist troops were killed and 11 U. S. troops wounded in exchanges of fire.

Only light damage was reported at Holloway, an airstrip used by Army helicopters and light planes. Twenty Americans were wounded, but enemy casualties were not known.

Near the Cambodian border to the north of Lai Khe Communist gunners slammed 25 motar rounds into a patrol base of the U. S. 25th Infantry Division, killing three infantrymen and wounding another 30.

In the northern 1st Corps Area, enemy gunners lobbed 50 mortar rounds onto an artillery unit at Phy Bai, headquarters of the U. S. 3rd Marine Division. The Communist forces tried a ground attack at the same time, but the artillerymen drove them back with small arms and machine-guns. Ten Marines were wounded, and enemy casualties were not known.

Farm Programs To Be Explained

NEW MADRID -- June C. Ransburgh, office manager of Agricultural, Stalibization and Conservation Services, announced that five meetings have been scheduled.

The meetings will be to explain the feed-grain, wheat and certification programs for 1968 all are scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m.

Monday at Gideon in the high school study hall; Tuesday in the Risco school cafeteria; Wednesday in the Conran Masonic hall; Thursday, Matthews high school and next Friday New Madrid court house.

Weather

Increasing cloudiness tonight with low around 40. Saturday considerable cloudiness and a little cooler with a slight chance for showers. High Saturday in 50s. Probabilities of measureable precipitation 10 per cent tonight, 20 Saturday.

FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Temperatures Saturday through Wednesday will average slightly below normal. Normal high in the mid 40s. Normal low around 30. Precipitation will average one-half to one inch occurring as rain or snow over the weekend and again about mid week.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today were 40 and 28.

Sunset today - - - - - 5:16 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow - - 7:06 a.m.
The moon rises - - - 5:47 a.m. tomorrow and rides low, much lower than the sun ever does.

PROMINENT STARS

Aldebaran high in south-8:10 p.m.
Regulus in the east - - 8:48 p.m.
Sirius in the south - - -10:19 p.m.
(The brighter "star" below Regulus is the planet Jupiter).

After Life of Excitement, Adventure 'There's No Finer Place than Morley'

By Barbara Lacy

What happens to young boys who run away from home and join the circus?

If they are lucky, like Bill Ballard, their parents will understand and they will become the special assistant of a performer, such as the late Clyde Beatty, the lion tamer.

It's hard to say what the average dare-devil looks like. Perhaps he should be a superbuilt Don Juan, who's just a bit foolhardy.

Short and stocky Ballard, a new resident of Morley, has a healthy glow. He lost his hair when he was 18 and with smiling Irish eyes he is more all-American than romantic Italian.

"Dad was a farmer, near Wills Point, Tex," Ballard recalls. "One day I was picking cotton alongside a railroad. I hated to pick cotton and there was dew on it which made it even worse. The train came; I got on and didn't get off until I got to Dallas.

"There the train stopped alongside a fairground. I got off the train and obtained a job with the canvas crew of the Barnum and Bailey circus. I was paid $1 a day plus brass, which could be exchanged for food at the food shack."

"I was 13 years old.

"Oh, I wrote my parents;" he said in answer to a question. "They accepted it because they knew I was doing what I wanted to do. I loved every minute of it."

"Clyde Beatty took a liking to me and hired me to take care of his cats. At that time he was the only man to work lions and tigers in the same cage. He was a fine person; an artist in handling animals. During his act you didn't disturb him. He'd talk to his cats like you would talk to people."

"He had one mean cat named Satan. No, there was no put on with Beatty. His act was the real thing. He had a movie contract and asked me to go to Hollywood with him. But I didn't want to go. I couldn't see any future in the circus; with moving around and all.

"I worked with Beatty for several summers; going home to school in the winter. I loved every minute of it. I can't stay away from the circus now," he said, shaking his head and smiling.

Ballard rested a minute, then began chapter two.

"Next I joined an automobile and motorcycle thrill show as a stunt driver. I started working as a roustabout - that's what they called the boys who took care of the equipment."

Ballard lit another cigarette and continued.

"One day I asked if I could try a couple of stunts. They said I could.

"I suppose you've seen an auto stunt show?" he questioned. "One of the acts is to go up and off a ramp, over another car or truck.

"That soon was my job. The trick was to hit the skis, that's what they called the ramp, at a certain speed. If you did it right your car would set down on all fours. The weight of the car determined the speed. It was 50 miles per hour with the Plymouth I had.

"Once you learn the trick there's not much to it," Ballard said.

One of his most daring acts was riding a motorcycle through a burning board wall.

"The wall was made up of 12 boards, one foot high and one inch thick," he said. "The trick was to break the boards with the handle bars of the motorcycle and to keep my body lower than the handle bars. That way I'd skim through the hole the cycle made.

"The wall was doused with gasoline and lit just before I went through it.

"Oh I had some close calls," he admitted, "but I was never hurt. No, I wasn't scared or I wouldn't have done it.

"Next I worked for the American Air show. I'd parachute from a plane at 10,000 feet holding a five-pound sack of flour with a hole cut in one corner. As I'd fall I'd spiral and the trail of flour behind me looked like smoke from the ground. Spectators thought I was on fire.

"How did I get started?" Bill laughed. His answer was the same as before: "I asked the boss if I could try it."

He said I could." We didn't have any instruments to tell us when we reached 5,000 feet and should pull the cord. You just jumped and when you felt you had reached 5,000 feet, you pulled the cord.

"I did have one accident," he said with a shake of his head. "Heat affects the spread of a parachute. I jumped out over an asphalt highway in Greenville, Tex., and the heat coming up from the highway slapped me into a cotton compress.

"I wasn't hurt, just shook up.

"The first time you jump you're apprehensive because you don't know how it feels. Later, you always think this may be the time the parachute won't work, but it always did.

His parachuting career ended with the coming of the war. It was 1941 and Ballard knew he would soon be drafted, so he enlisted in the army air force Feb. 4, 1942. It was also the end of a singing group, The Free State Boys, he was part of and guitar lessons he had been giving on the radio.

He met his wife, Elizabeth, a registered nurse who was originally from Northeast Missouri, when they were stationed in Clovis N.M. They had been married four days when he was assigned four-year duty, which took him to China, India and Burma.

He was in Burma when the Ledo road was opened for the second time and present when the first convoy came through.

He met the late General and Mrs. Chiang Kai Chek when they were guests of his outfit for Christmas dinner.

"We talked with them in English about Christmas and how we wished that we were home. I remember that for dinner we had a delicious canned turkey."

In Burma, Ballard and three companions were cut off from the rest of their platoon by the Japanese. They were in a jungle; the animals were wild, the natives were headhunters.

When their three-day supply of sea rations was gone, Ballard lead the hunt to capture a monkey.

They caught one on the outskirts of a head hunters village. Ballard suggested that since he didn't have any hair he would not appeal to the headhunters. His logic appealed to them for he returned with rice and made the "best monkey stew!"

They were rescued soon afterward.

When the war was over Ballard returned to the states traveling through India, North Africa, Egypt just to see them.

It had been four years since he had seen his wife of four days. Thus, he was glad to do what she asked; give up parachuting and other dare-devil joos.

"She said she didn't want to be married to a stunt man," Ballard said.

So, he found work as an investigator for the state public health department in Dallas.

His two children, Charles, a senior in geology of Missouri University in Columbia, and Anne, a freshman in occupational therapy at the University, were born in Dallas.

Ballard was recalled to active duty in 1950. After two more years of service he decided to make it his career.

His family was able to join him in Germany during his tour of duty. The housing project they lived in still had shell holes from World War II.

They were in Germany when President Kennedy was assasinated.

"The base was thrown into red alert, which means that all planes and missiles were turned on, ready to go if we got the signal, within three minutes of the first shots," he said.

"It's hard for us to believe Oswald alone shot the President; we feel the whole story hasn't been told."

The Ballard family enjoyed their European duty. Their favorite country was Great Britain.

Ballard retired Jan. 31, 1967 after 20 years in the army air force. He had won five battle stars, been cited by President Roosevelt two times and President Truman once. He had visited every country in the world and been around the world twice.

Where is paradise? I asked him, where would you like to live more than any place else.

"Right here," he said firmly.

"We've just bought a house in Morley and joined the Baptist church. I'm business manager of the Sikeston Regional Diagnostic Clinic.

"I'm also a member of the Rotary club. I've no desire to jump out of an airplane or do any of that again, except see a circus.

"We think that there's no finer place in all the world than Morley."

BILL BALLARD, business manager at the Sikeston regional diagnostic clinic, hasn't always worked at a desk.

Fined for Driving While Intoxicated

Leroy Hart, 221 Luther St., and Euvion Dozier, route two, Sikeston, were each charged with driving while intoxicated and fined $56 Thursday night in city court.

Judge James Sickal presided.

Willie James Allen, 1701 Washington St., was fined $31 on a charge of disorderly conduct and $21 on a charge of peace disturbance.

Billy R. Long, 617 Hart St., was fined $15 on a charge of careless and imprudent driving.

Michael Hadley, 2120 Betty St., was fined $16 on a charge of careless and imprudent driving.

Thomas Gray, 311 Petty St., was fined $31 on a charge of speeding.

Jerry Fisher, Miner, was fined $21 on a charge of speeding.

Judith Cooper, 205 Greer St., was fined $15 on a charge of speeding.

Lloyd V. Williams, 309 Kramer Drive, was fined $11 on a charge of speeding.

Gilbert Dover Jr., 800 Pine St., was fined $41 on a charge of speeding, $15 on a charge of careless and imprudent driving, and $12 on a charge of running a stop sign. Four other charges of running stop signs were dismissed on payment of $6 court costs on each charge and charges of resisting arrest and careless and imprudent driving against Dover were dismissed.

A charge of speeding against Thomas Brock, Oklahoma street, was dismissed, but he was fined $20 on a charge of running a stop sign.

Carl L. Launius, Morehouse, was fined $17 on a charge of speeding.

Jerry Cooper, 409 Illinois Ave., was fined $7 on a charge of failure to pay parking ticket.

John Russell Felker, 708 Tayor St., was fined $56 on a charge of careless and imprudent driving.

Four persons were fined $12 each on charges of public intoxication: Cerill Young, 605 South Frisco St., Leo McCormick Jr., 421 Pam St., James Dozier, route two, Sikeston, and Harold Stout, route three, Sikeston.

Two Treated for Hand, Finger Hurts

Two were treated for injured hand and fingers Thursday at the Missouri Delta Community hospital.

Kathy Carmack, Morehouse, cut left hand on door; Jerry Helms, caught fingers between pulley and belt of press while at work.

Man to See More of Wife in Vietnam

WICHITA (AP) - George Matassarin, a young Army lieutenant who leaves Monday for Vietnam, may be able to see his wife more often there than he has done since their marriage in 1966.

His wife, Pat, will be going there too, Feb. 3. She is an Army nurse, also with the rank of lieutenant. He is a helicopter pilot in he medical service corps.

Pat credits their double assignment to an act of kindess she performed for a colonel who came to visit a fellow officer while she was working at Fitzsimmons General Hospital in Denver, Colo.

She said the colonel had a button off his jacket and she volunteered to sew it on for him.

"We got to talking and I told him how George had gotten his orders to go to Vietnam. We've never been stationed together since we were married, and I had volunteered to go, too," she said.

Pat said the colonel returned to the Pentagon, spoke to the people involved, "and I got a nice letter from him, saying we would be stationed together in Vietnam if it was at all possible."

The couple was married December, 1966 while in an officers' basic orientation program at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

After Ft. Sam Houston, Pat was sent to Denver and George went to helicopter flight schools in Texas and Alabama.

They are visiting his parents in Wichita, Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Matassarin.

George was graduated from Andover High School in 1961, attended the University of Kansas, and was graduated from Wichita State University in 1966. Pat is from Lancaster, Ohio.

Diplomatic Paths Explored As Reservists Get Ready

WASHINGTON (AP) - Nearly 14,800 air reservists prepared to muster for indefinite active duty as the United States pushed along diplomatic paths to a possible bloodless settlement of the Pueblo crisis.

President Johnson's approach obviously was to couple an air of determination with a readiness to use diplomacy in gaining release from Communist North Korea of the captured U.S. Navy intelligence ship and the 83 American aboard.

The diplomatic paths included an urgent session of the 15-nation U.N. Security Council to consider what U.S. Ambassador Arthur J. Goldberg called a "grave threat to peace."

In seeking the session for today, Goldberg said he hoped it would lead to the immediate return of the Pueblo and her crew.

In Moscow, U.S. Ambassador Llewellyn E. Thompson, who had no luck Tuesday in persuading the Soviets to act as intermediary in the dispute with North Korea, made another call at the foreign ministry today.

While the U.S. embassy made no comment on the new attempt, a Soviet source said the ambassador again was unsuccessful in getting the Soviet government to play some role in unraveling the crisis. This source, who cannot be identified, said his government has no intention of getting involved.

The prospect that Moscow might relent looked rather dim after the official Soviet news agency Tass said Thursday that North Korea acted "rightfully," and denounced the call-up of U.S. air reservists as a "threatening act."

The North Koreans also talked tough. The official newspaper of the North Korean Communist Party said Friday the Pueblo's crewmen "must be punished by law."

It was not clear whether this meant the North Koreans planned to try the U.S. Navy men on some kind of charges, or would demand their punishment as the price of their being freed.

Any move to try the Americans would almost certainly inflame members of Congress, some of whom already are demanding direct military action to reclaim the ship and its men.

Navy sources in Washington said messages from the ship's master, Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher, furnished evidence that the crew blew up the Pueblo's secret coding machine and that the North Koreans evidently got "nothing that really compromises us."

In Congress, Rep. Paul Findley, R-Ill., offered a resolution that would place Congress on record as backing Johnson in any try at recovering the Pueblo and its company.

North Korea called itself fully prepared to meet any attack by the United States, and threatened it would "deal a hundredfold, thouand-fold retaliation."

The tone of these statements suggested North Korea is in no mood to listen to the Security Council even if that body should act. North Korea is not a U.N. member and has a history of ignoring the world organization's efforts to solve peacefully divided Korea's disputes.

White House Press Secretary George Christian said Johnson's move, through Goldberg, to bring the U.N. into the problem "reflects his earnest desire to settle this matter promptly and, if at all possible, by diplomatic means."

What will happen if diplomatic means should fail remained very much in doubt.

The call-up of 14,787 Air National Guardsmen, Air Force Reservists and Naval Air Reservists will serve to give the United States a little more airpower at a time when pilot and plane resources are spread thin because of the Vietnam war.

The men tapped by the call-up have no way of knowing how long they will serve. This is the third call-up since 1961. The partial mobilization during that year's Berlin crisis took about 148,000 Army and Naval Reservists. They were on duty about 10 months.

About 14,000 Air Force Reservists in troop-carrier outfits were placed on active duty for a month during the 1962 Cuban missile crisis.

Wall Street experienced a strong rally Thursday in part because of the limited scope of the mu ster and in part because of an unfounded rumor that the Pueblo had been freed.

Current plans are to keep the air reservists at their home bases. That means some may be able to go home nights.

Sources said they expect the air reservists to function as back-up for overseas forces, possibly including additional regular flying units that may be moved out into the Pacific, closer to the scene of the latest crisis.

For the most part, the Air Guard and Air Reserve planes are old models. The Naval Reserve aircraft are a bit more modern.

But Guard leaders say their squadrons are full strength and fully equipped, and could be sent overseas immediately if needed.

Army and Marine sources said they have not been given any sign that any of their reserve ground units would be called up.

Koreans Propose to Punish Pueblo Crew

SEOUL (AP) - North Korea said today the crew of the U.S. intelligence ship Pueblo "must be punished by law." It also declared that any attack by the United States would be met by "a hundred-fold, thousand-fold retaliation."

Shooting incidents continued north of Seoul as more North Koreans tried to cross the demilitarized zone into South Korea, and South Korean and U.S. forces kept up the hunt for remnants of the band of 31 North Koreans that invaded Seoul Sunday night in an attempt to assassinate President Chung Hee Park.

Another American soldier, the second in three days, was killed just below the truce zone, but U.S. troops killed two North Koreans Thursday and Friday.

South Korean troops killed two more members of the assassination band, raising their total to 21 dead and one captured. But the South Korean toll since Sunday climbed to 32 killed, including eight civilians, and 42 wounded.

Author Suggests North Koreans Believe War With U.S. Inevitable

By WILLIAM L. RYAN
AP Special Correspondent

A former general in the Soviet Army, drilled by the Kremlin in how to communize North Korea, now occupies the spotlight in a tense crisis which conceivably could bring his Russian mentors into confrontation with the United States.

Kim Il Sung, premier of North Korea, is described by those who knew him in the old days as a man who never had an original thought. His thoughts today may not be original, but if a pro-Communist writer's reports about them are true, he is convinced that a new war with the United States is all but inevitable.

The writer is Wilfred Burchett, an Australian who for two decades has reported from Communist capitals and war-fronts and who often echoes the hardest of Communist lines. Burchett describes the views of Kim and other North Korean leaders in a book, "Again Korea," to be published by International Publishers of New York. It is written wholly from the Communist viewpoint and places on the United States all the blame for tension in the Korean peninsula.

The way Burchett puts it, the North Korean leaders are convinced that for 18 years the United States has been plotting war against them, and they fully expect another round of Korean conflict.

Premier Kim, a roly-poly man of 56 who has been a Communist since his boyhood, is pictured as gloomily emphasizing that "things may be destroyed again" in North Korea, 15 years after the end of the Korean conflict of 1950-53.

Kim's representative on the Military Armistice Commission, Maj. Gen. Pak Chung Kook, is represented as feeling that there is "overwhelming evidence" that the United States is intent on launching a new war.

Burchett links rising tension to President Johnson's visit to South Korea in October 1966, comparing it with the 1950 visit by John Foster Dulles, then a State Department consultant, which the Communists insist was a prelude to carrying out plans for hostilities. Burchett claims that American strategy "seems aimed at building up incidents" to a point where North Koreans take countermeasures. Thereupon, he says, both the United States and Japan would go to war against North Korea. Japan once ruled Korea.

Burchett more than once has been able to predict Communist actions. He visited Premier Kim and other North Korean leaders in 1967, and thus the indication is that they were thinking long ago in terms of the inevitability of a resumed Korean war.

One important question is this: is the present taunting of the American eagle Kim's own idea? Did inspiration or encouragement come from the outside, and if so, from what source?

Despite Kim's reputation for lack of originality, this phase of the tension perhaps can be attributed to North Korean initiative. The Communists there have been keeping the Red Chinese at arm's length, and not long ago also indicated some independence from Moscow. The North Korean leaders seemed to have been annoyed with Moscow for not showing more belligerency toward the Americans in Asia.

Kim Il Sung may have been happier in the Stalin era, when he cut his political teeth. He studied in Moscow before World War II, joined a North Korean unit fighting beside the Russians against the Germans, and emerged as a major general in the Soviet Army.

Intelligence sources in Korea long ago pegged Kim as handpicked by Moscow to take over all Korea for communism. Under the protection of Soviet occupation troops, he was installed in Pyongyang in 1945, bearing the title of a North Korean marshal.

His real name is Kim Jung Sy.

Firemen Quelch 2 Grass Fires

Firemen were called to extinguish two grass fires this morning. No damage was caused in either fire, but a shed at 523 William St., was threatened as wind whipped the fire on a vacant lot on the south side of the building.

The Fire Department was called to the scene at 10:34 a.m. and returned to Station No. 1, 405 West Malone, at 10:47 a.m.

The other grass fire was started from trash burning in a barrel at 2008 Kentucky at 10:15 a.m. today. It was extinguished and firemen returned to Station No. 2, 733 Greer St., at 10:35 a.m.

Hearing Determines Union Election Off

A hearing before the State Board of Mediation Thursday in Jefferson City resulted a decision not to hold an election in Sikeston among city and light department workers on the issue of joining the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers.

David Blanton and City Attorney Manuel Drumm attended the hearing representing the city of Sikeston.

The I.B.E.W., Local 702, with offices in West Frankfort, Ill. sought to prove in the hearing that a majority of the employes here wanted to join the union.

The union's petition requested the State Board of Mediation chairman be present for an election to be scheduled later in Sikeston. The city previously told union representatives an election would be held if the State Board of Mediation was represented.

The State Board of Mediations dismissed the union's petition on the grounds that union representatives at the hearing failed to sustain the burden of proof that they did represent a majority of the city light and water department employes.

Daniel C. Rogers, chairman of the State Board of Mediation, scheduled the hearing in compliance with an order directed to the board by the Missouri Supreme Court Jan. 8.

House Bill 166, which became law in October, 1967, provides the Board will resolve issues concerning the appropriateness of bargaining units and whether the union represents a majority of the employes of municipal and state governments.

The union had filed suit seeking to compel the board to perform this duty.

Plans for Home for Elderly Outlined

MORLEY -- Abram Hirschowitz, Oran businessman, spoke to the Rotary club last night on the need for a home for elderly. Roy Ragan, president, presided.

The name of Care Service Center has been proposed for the home of 150 rooms, located in central Scott County.

Hirschowitz, who has spent more than a month promoting the home, said that a steering committee has been formed, composed of, Robert Capshaw, Chaffee; Ollie Amick, Illmo; Hess Porter, Benton; K. M. Streeter, Painton; Joel Montgomery, Bob McCord and Bill Lewis, all of Sikeston.

The committee will gather information on building costs, seek information about a federal grant of funds and the amount of revenue bonds needed. The report will be presented to the Scott county court.

Memphis Woman Killed in Collision

o A Memphis woman was killed, and a passenger in her car is in critical condition, after a head-on collision Thursday at 10:55 p.m. on highway 84, one-half mile west of Caruthersville.

Avel Cleo Caperton, 36, Memphis, driver of a 1965 Mercury, was coming around a curve near Caruthersville, when her car was struck headon by a 1964 Ford pickup truck, driven by Wilburn Mathis, 46, Hayti. The state patrol charged that the truck was on the wrong side of the road.

The body of the Memphis woman was taken to the Dean Funeral Home in Caruthersville.

Betty Charleen Branham, 20, Caruthersville, a passenger in the Mercury, is in critical condition with head wounds and body cuts. She was taken to St. Joseph hospital in Memphis.

Mathis, received a broken left arm, fractured ribs and cuts on the head and body. He was taken to the Pemiscot County Memorial hospital in Hayti.

Two were injured in a one-car accident Thursday at 2:45 p.m. on highway 21, one mile south of Arcadia in Iron county.

The brakes of a 1948 International truck, driven by Everett Persons, 19, Pilot Knob, apparently failed, the patrol said, causing the vehicle to overrun a stop sign on highway E, across highway 21, and crashed into an embankment.

Persons received cuts on his face and jaw and a crushed left leg, and was transferred from a hospital in Ironton to Barnes hospital in St. Louis.

Jake Inman, 19, Flat River, a passenger, received a broken collarbone and was taken to the Ironton hospital.

Lyle Linyon, 46, Fairborn, Ohio, was injured Thursday at 5:15 a.m. on highway 60, one mile east of Dudley.

He was driving a 1967 Pontiac, when his car ran off the road and struck a bridge.

He was taken to the Doctor's hospital in Poplar Bluff, where he was treated for cuts and a head injury.

Speaker Urges Travel Close Generation Gap

Discussing a generation gap, Dr. Paul C. Carpenter, vice president of Culver-Stockton College Canton, said last night the church "must travel to relate itself to your flesh and blood."

He addressed more than 200 churchmen attending a dinner meeting at the American Legion Hall.

Dr. Carpenter said that the challenge was to bring relevance to the lives of men and he described youth as "the here and now generation" with reference to their interests.

He described youth "as a wonderful generation" and said that communication between them and their elders had broken down because older people have "withdrawn from the problems of the world." "You must relate yourself to their probelms," he said.

The speaker said that the church needs to "make a journey" to close the communications gap.

Dr. Carpenter was introduced by Earl Jarvis. Lenzie Beck was master of ceremonies. The Rev. Vernon Guttenfelder, pastor of the Tanner Street Church of God, introduced "The Gabriels", a singing trio, composed of Robert Williamson at the piano, Dan Lopp and Larry Murphy.

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LBJ NOT APPLYING BRAKES

We believe the spending plans proposed by President Johnson in his state of the Union speech before Congress will add to the problems he will have with Congress.

It is obvious the White House is not applying the brakes.

For instance, take a look at the cash budget which includes Social Security; Last Kennedy year: $113.8 billions. New Johnson year: about $188.5 billions. Increase: $74.7 billions, or 65.6 per cent.

And in military: same as in regular budget: up $27.2 billions. But the non-military: up $47.5 billions, 74.5 per cent in six years.

We suggest that fellow taxpayers keep writing our public servants in Congress and let them know we want the wild spending reduced -- at least until the Vietnam war is over.

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The pioneers who blazed the trails now have sons that burn up the roads.

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There is no use in calling a man's attention to the fact that there are millions of other women in the world, when he falls in love with one of them: he knows it.

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WHY THE COMMUNISTS HATE FREE ELECTIONS

The outlook for a democratic, free and independent South Vietnam was brightened considerably by the recent election.

The election turned out better than U. S. officials or the South Vietnamese regime dared predict.

The important task ahead is the building of a national government responsive to the Vietnamese people as a whole -- not to pressure groups.

It will not be an easy task; building a representative democracy never was -- especially in a country that never tried one.

The elections indicated that the South Vietnamese people are considerably more united against the Viet Cong than had been thought. The fact that 80 per cent of the eligible vote was cast also indicated that the South Vietnamese have considerably less fear of the Viet Cong than the Communists believed.

South Vietnam's anti-Communist forces made impressive gains in the election as evidenced by two different yardsticks, the total vote turnoue -- 80.6 per cent, and the choice made of members for a constituent assembly.

The Viet Cong had done everything it could to prevent the elections, mounting a terrorist campaign that grew in intensity as the voting date neared; but the South Vietnamese people were more or less immune to terrorism, having been the target of it for years as the Viet Cong built its guerrilla forces and tried to gain control of the country.

In the face of increasing terrorist pressure, Saigon officials had said they would be satisfied with a turnout of 50 to 60 per cent of the qualified voters.

The voting was to elect 117 persons to draft a new constitution.

Not all those elected had the same viewpoint; some actually oppose the present regime. But all 117 are anti-Communist.

Premier Ky was quoted as saying the elections signify the beginning of the end for the Communists. There is also some indication that they signify the beginning of the end of military rule.

Of the 118 chosen only 20 are military men. The largest group is composed of 22 teachers. The rest include 18 civil servants, 17 provincial councilors, 15 professional people, eight farmers, three judges, nine mountain tribesmen and five others.

The fact that the election was held at all was a setback for the Viet Cong. Unquestionably the "prestige" of the Viet Cong -- and Hanoit-- has suffered.

The Communists have been suffering setbacks in the field as U. S. air attacks on North Vietnam have been stepped up simultaneously with more action against the Communists in South Vietnam.

Election of a constituent assembly is one thing, writing a constitution another; the problem is to draft a constitution for the country by next March so that elections can be held and the present regime can turn over power to the elected government.

The military probably will continue to have a voice in the government, because the country is fighting a war.

If the new constituent assembly can draft a constitution that will peacefully blend the influence of civilian and military voices, Vietnam has a good chance to achieve the kind of government it needs to survive.

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Most people would rather look at photographs of themselves than at the finest painting on earth.

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One never expects too much else from a person who can tell you all about the birth stones of the various months.

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More than 22 million Americans suffer from some form of heart and blood vessel disease.

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The Christmas trip of Comedian Bob Hope always is just about the year's best entertainment on television.

It is a much better show than the Academy awards or any other televised award presentations to professional entertainers and it is a worthy rival to the Miss America Pageant.

This year's show Thursday night was the fastest passing 90 minutes on television this winter.

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Bartenders in Miami have come up with a new drink, called The Ugly Girl. It has no chasers.

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KEEPING A COOL HEAD

Two psychiatrists, one 30, one 70, were riding down in an elevator on a hot sticky day. The young psychiatrist looked really beat and done in.

He said to his older colleague, who was looking calm, cool and quite refreshed: "I don't see how you can listen to those terrible, harrowing, heart-rending personal histories that your patients recount all day and still be so relaxed."

The elder analyst shrugged, "Who listens?"

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SCARNE ON SWEEPSTAKES

("Psst! Wanna buy a ticket for the Irish Sweepstakes?") The odds against winning, John Scarne warns in the Catholic Digest, are staggering. Only 40% of the proceeds are earmarked for prizes. The ticket buyer's chance of winning the top award is 1 in 305,000; of drawing a horse that places 1st, 2nd or 3rd, 1 in 101,666; and of even drawing a horse listed as a possible, 1 in 3,470.

The train came to a sudden stop. A woman passenger picked herself up and asked the conductor what had happened.

"We hit a cow," he told her.

"Was she on the tracks?"

"No," said the conductor dryly. "We had to chase her across a field."

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Patent laws now in force in many technologically advanced nations are "70 years behind the times," an American industrialist and inventor said today.

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While exploding technology has catapulted the human race into the age of jet travel, atomic energy and manned fights to the moon, the patent laws that spurred this rapid progress have "stood still," Mr. Hess commented.

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Mr. Hess said one single patented invention that becomes a commercial success "will return more than enough tax dollars each year to cover the entire national patent budget." As examples he cited "dry" photocopying, "instant" developing of snapshots and color television.

He said technology is moving ahead so fast that the present "antiquated patent system will collapse unless effective steps are taken immediately and on an international scale to modernize it.

Edward J. Brenner, Commissioner of Patents, stated that if patent offices throughout the world exchanged information, from 15 to 80 per cent of the search and examination work involved in processing patent applications could be eliminated.

He indicated that such a program alone would save the U. S. patent office $2 million annually. Mr. Brenner explained, "Considerably greater savings could accrue to applicants since less prosecution work would be involved. Approximately 75,000 cases are currently filed per year by U. S. applicants in other examining countries at considerable cost."

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Announcement on TV: "Stay tuned for five minutes of the latest news, followed by a 'Moment of Truth'."

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After the usual funeral music, opening the "Obituary Column of the Air" on WATA, Boone, N.C., the announcer said: "We're sorry to report there were no deaths in Watauga County during the past 24 hours."

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Newscaster on WBCM, Bay City, Mich.: "We'll have more news for you in just a moment, but WORSE (padron me, please, I mean FIRST) here's a word from our sponsor."

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From an ad for work clothes on a Kansas TV station: "And when they get dirty, just throw 'em in the washer and let 'er rip!"

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Weather report on WOW, Omaha: "Three inches of rain have fallen in the last 40 minutes, and in the outsquirts of the city even greater amounts have been measured."

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How could you Guttenberg? In 1966 the U. S. Government Printing Office was responsible for the printing of over one billion copies of government documents like the Congressional Record (cost, $17 million), or the annual reports of the Battle of New Orleans Sequicentennial Committee (cost, $6,000). The various agencies and departments offer pamphlets and books such as Interior's 561-page "Birds in Our Lives" (for $9), or the Office of Education's "Report to the People on Education" (64 pages, cost, $25,000).

H.L. Hunt Says

RECONVENING AND REFORMING

With Congress reconvening, NOW is the time to move for a thorough reform of the Electoral College system under which this country chooses its Chief Executive.

Such a reform by Congress in this session would have no effect on the 1968 elections, but would affect to the greatest extent possible the future of this country and its citizenry. This Congress owes it to this Republic to take every remedial action possible and necessary to insure its survival in a world in which freedom must become more charished and protected or be inevitable lost.

Uniformed leaders in both major parties are advocating the direct vote as an alternative to our present Electoral College system. This is an instance of the cure being worse than the disease, for the direct vote would have the effect of bring ing the Federal Government into the States to conduct elections for offices from the city hall to the national Capitol. To such a system of government as ours this "cure" would be catastrophic indeed. There are no less than 123 reasons why reform of the Electoral College system is desirable and why the direct vote manner of "reform" would be disastrous.

If reform is a necessary and desirable as those 123 points show it to be, any dedicated and astute Congressman, Senator or state official could win popular acclaim by heading up the crusade for reform. Shepherding such a reform through the maze of government procedure could bring an outpouring of public gratitude to the young lawmaker or public figure who has the patience, dedication and love of country necessary to bring the reform to fruition, and would help him attain almost any public office he may desire. HLH

Doc. Duncan Says

Had a letter from an aged relative living in a city apartment. She said when the manager heard of the big rise in Social Security he raised her rent until she will have a dollar a month less after rent than she had before the 3% raise. At that rate it may be a good thing the boys up there didn't raise the old folks 300% like they took for themselves.

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Drew Pearson

DREW PEARSON AND JACK ANDERSON SAY:

Clifford selection follows industrial - military tradition; he'll now represent government. He battled for clients; Clifford will find transition easy.

WASHINGTON -- Every secretary of defense since the office was established in 1947 has represented the industrial - military alliance which President Eisenhower warned against in his last message to the American people. They have been either industrialists themselves or lawyers like Louis Johnson or bankers like James Forrestal representing big defense industries.

The new secretary of defense, Clark Clifford, is no exception.

The only real exception was Robert S. McNamara who, though head of the second largest motor company in the world--Ford--had been a teacher, was essentially humanitarian, and time after time bucked the Alliance which Eisenhower warned against. McNamara's theory, which he successfully sold to LBJ, was that nuclear war was so catastrophic the only solution was not to increase our already bristling arsenal of missiles but to negotiate missile and nuclear agreements with Russia instead.

Time after time McNamara refused to spend the billions voted by Rep. Mendel Rivers, D-S.C., and other hawks in congress for atomic - powered airplane carriers, the B-70 bomber and an anti-ballistic missile network. This eventually contributed to his downfall. The hawkish - minded politicos on Capitol Hill, plus the military - industrial alliance, packed too much of a punch with congress.

Clark Clifford, on the other hand, has spent all of his career as a priviate attorney defending some of the defense giants. He has been on their side in their battles against the same U.S. government which he will now represent as secretary of defense.

ROLL CALL OF CONTRACTORS

These clients have pulled down in the fiscal year 1967 the sum total of $1,890,200,000 in defense contracts plus $494,659,000 in research grants, all from Uncle Sam.

General Electric, in the fiscal year 1967, ranked fourth among the defense contractors of the nation, with a total of $1,289,800,000 in war orders. GE also received as a gift from Uncle Sam a total of $439,090,000 for research and development.

Another of Clifford's clients, the radio corporation of America, received $268,000,000 in defense contracts, plus $54,429,000 in grants from Uncle Sam.

Du Pont received $179,600,000 in defense contracts, and $1,140,000 in grants for research.

Standard oil of California, another Clifford Client, received $152,800,000 in defense contracts.

Clifford has done a phenomenal job for these clients.

He helped to get Phillips Petroleum the right to build a refinery in Puerto Rico when all other oil companies were opposed.

He got the Du Pont family's tax bill drastically reduced when they faced the prospect of paying Uncle Sam $470 million in taxes after the court decreed they had to sell their General Motors stock. This was done by an act of congress.

Later, when General Motors stock went up in value, Clifford saved the Du Pont family around $56 million additional by persuading the treasury to write a special tax ruling for the Du Ponts.

Clifford has also represented the largest pipeline company in the world, El Paso Natural Gas, which three times has been cracked down on by the Supreme Court for trying to combine with Pacific Natural Gas. Somehow or other the battery of astute lawyers always got El Paso's dubious claims past a complacent justice department and a previously supine federal power commission, now much improved. They were not successful, however, in lulling the supreme court.

It should be noted that Clifford was not alone. For various legal footwork, El Paso paid Richard Nixon's law firm $77,629.20 in one year and the John Foster Dulles Law Firm of Sullivan and Cromwell $946,645.54 over a longer period of time. Not of record are the fees paid to Clark Clifford, but they must have been considerable because he did a Herculean job for El Paso.

LAWYER FOR UNCLE SAM

As Secretary of Defense, Clifford will be in the position of switching his very considerable talents for Uncle Sam. The only question is whether he has been so long steeped in the atmosphere of his industrial clients that he can make the switch. His friends, including Lyndon B. Johnson, are convinced he can.

He understands the language of the defense giants and could be just as tough on them as he was with the U.S. government when he represented the giants against the government.

Another asset will be his ability to speak the language of Capitol Hill. Clifford is an old poker - playing Truman Democrat who has taken money away from the toughest hawks in the house and senate. Unlike Bob McNamara, who talked with graphs and computers, Clark Clifford can talk the language of the Bourbon highball. Unfortunately this is almost essential when it comes to dealing with headstrong congressmen such as Mendel Rivers who are convinced they know more about missiles and carriers than any secretary of defense.

Making the transition from a tough corporation lawyer to a tough lawyer for Uncle Sam will not be easy. Some lawyers, when they join the government, never get it done. But we believe Clifford will do it. He is an honest and extremely able man.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

REUTHER'S SECOND-IN-COMMAND

Quiet Man, Mazey, Challenges Meany to Showdown On Charges U. S. Labor Peace Meetings Organized in Hanoi

Detroit: -- Inside labor they say that a national union secretary - treasurer is one who would marry Elizabeth Taylor for her money. There must be exceptions. One is the one man whirlwind, Emil Mazey. As United Auto Workers union secretary-treasurer, he sits on a cash flow of hundreds of millions of dollars and rarely surfaces because there are always the intricacies of running that union's vast mechanisms as second-in-command.

But now the 54-year-old Mazey, one of the youngest of the truly influential national labor chiefs, is surfacing rapidly. Walter Reuther, desperately hard hit by brother Roy's death, is off on a long vacation at his Fort Myers, Fla., home.

Walter was far closer to Roy than to brother Victor. It was Roy who sat in on major speech writings, on strategy and political operations. Walter is suffering physically, mentally and spiritually.

Thus Mazey swiftly becomes a man the nation should know well. For the union's gargantuan machinery is in his hands as it was for almost a year after Walter and Victor were shot and brutally injured by the underworld some 20 years ago.

Not only did Mazey sign the first Ford contract in '41, he also wrapped up the first cost-of-living escalator and annual improvement factor clauses with General Motors in '48. But he is up front now for a reason other than his disbursement of some $50 million in strike benefit payments and his direction of the UAW's sprawling assets.

He never lets his financial operations get in the way of a tough fight. And he's in for a running battle with one of the toughest infighters in this nation--AFL-CIO president George Meany. Mazey has just dispatched an acrid four-page letter to Meany denouncing the man whom President Johnson now calls "Mr. Labor."

This missive is Mazey's explosive retort to Meany's charges that the Nov. 11 Chicago Labor Leadership Assembly for Peace was conceived by a committee in Hanoi.

Since Mazey was the dynamo, albeit a quiet-purring one, who sparked this meeting, and others soon to be held across country, he wrote to Meany in language which had more needless than a "hatchery of porcupines."

"I'm against the war," he said when we lunched the other day, "but that doesn't mean that Meany can paint me as an agent in Hanoi. I have always tried to organize my dissent in a constructive manner.

"Once you gave the impression I'm a rabble-rouser. Far from it."

He pointed out that he had, since his early days, been a rebel but a reasonable one.

Recalling his bring-the-boys-back-home campaign at the end of World War II, Mazey said: "I organized a demobilization meeting of 600 men of the headquarters company of Sub Base "R" in Batangas, the Philippines. We reaised $600 in January to send cables to President Truman and key congressional leaders protesting the slowdown of demobilization. On Jan. 6, 1946, I organized a rally of 4,000 officers and men at Sub Base "R" with the permission of the base commander. We raised $6,000 which we used for cables to President Truman and every Senator and Congressman concerning the demobilization problem."

Then Mazey organized a committee of soldiers, met with the then Secretary of War Patterson in January '46 and not only protested the slowdown in the demobilization of the army but also argued against reinstituting close-order drills and lectures on such matters as "cleaning and care of weapons." The late Secretary Patterson listened and ended the drills and lectures.

Through the next two decades Mazey consistently was a direct actionist. He took the leadership of the labor contingent opposed to President Johnson's Vietnam policies. At the November assemblage, he decried the violence of some peace advocates.

Somehow those words were lost to the record. They should not be:

"The purpose of dissent is not to disagree or to become disagreeable. The purpose of dissent must be to change existing policies that we believe to be wrong.

"There are thousands of well-intentioned people ... who oppose our government's policy in Vietnam. Unfortunately, their method of protest is based on emotions and not logic and their actions are hurting the cause of peace and strengthening those forces which want to extend and escalate the Vietnam war.

"I believe that the march on the Pentagon, the burning of American flags, the burning of draft cards, the carrying of Viet Cong flags, sit-ins at draft boards, the demonstrations and disturbance at injunction centers, play into the hands of the hawks...

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Recalling these words, Mazey said they hardly were the words of Hanoi. He means to open his dialogue with Meany whenever and wherever he could. What would this do to the relationship between the giant 1.5 million member UAW and the 14.3 million member AFL-CIO?

It means, Mazey asserted in blunt tones, that the UAW would pull out unless the AFL-CIO reacted favorably to such demands as the building of a $250 million national labor strike fund; or the raising of a $90 to $100 million organizing war chest; or the opening of its leadership councils to the kind of dialogues Reuther had been suggesting; or driving into the heart of the big cities with new action plans on a community level to help the working poor.

It is all a matter of timing now. But the challenge won't be dropped. Not if Emil Mazey, the UAW's second-in-command, can help it.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

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We believe the spending plans proposed by President Johnson in his state of the Union speech before Congress will add to the problems he will have with Congress.

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The outlook for a democratic, free and independent South Vietnam was brightened considerably by the recent election.

The election turned out better than U. S. officials or the South Vietnamese regime dared predict.

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It will not be an easy task; building a representative democracy never was -- especially in a country that never tried one.

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South Vietnam's anti-Communist forces made impressive gains in the election as evidenced by two different yardsticks, the total vote turnoue -- 80.6 per cent, and the choice made of members for a constituent assembly.

The Viet Cong had done everything it could to prevent the elections, mounting a terrorist campaign that grew in intensity as the voting date neared; but the South Vietnamese people were more or less immune to terrorism, having been the target of it for years as the Viet Cong built its guerrilla forces and tried to gain control of the country.

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The voting was to elect 117 persons to draft a new constitution.

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Premier Ky was quoted as saying the elections signify the beginning of the end for the Communists. There is also some indication that they signify the beginning of the end of military rule.

Of the 118 chosen only 20 are military men. The largest group is composed of 22 teachers. The rest include 18 civil servants, 17 provincial councilors, 15 professional people, eight farmers, three judges, nine mountain tribesmen and five others.

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The Communists have been suffering setbacks in the field as U. S. air attacks on North Vietnam have been stepped up simultaneously with more action against the Communists in South Vietnam.

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TOMORROW

JANUARY 27 - SATURDAY

FOUR MAN BOBSLED EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP. Jan. 27-28. St. Moritz, Switzerland.

ROD AND CUSTOM CAR SHOW. Jan. 27-28. Eugene, Oregon.

TEXAS CITRUS FIESTA. Jan. 27-Feb. 4. Mission, Texas.

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Bartenders in Miami have come up with a new drink, called The Ugly Girl. It has no chasers.

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KEEPING A COOL HEAD

Two psychiatrists, one 30, one 70, were riding down in an elevator on a hot sticky day. The young psychiatrist looked really beat and done in.

He said to his older colleague, who was looking calm, cool and quite refreshed: "I don't see how you can listen to those terrible, harrowing, heart-rending personal histories that your patients recount all day and still be so relaxed."

The elder analyst shrugged, "Who listens?"

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SCARNE ON SWEEPSTAKES

("Psst! Wanna buy a ticket for the Irish Sweepstakes?") The odds against winning, John Scarne warns in the Catholic Digest, are staggering. Only 40% of the proceeds are earmarked for prizes. The ticket buyer's chance of winning the top award is 1 in 305,000; of drawing a horse that places 1st, 2nd or 3rd, 1 in 101,666; and of even drawing a horse listed as a possible, 1 in 3,470.

The train came to a sudden stop. A woman passenger picked herself up and asked the conductor what had happened.

"We hit a cow," he told her.

"Was she on the tracks?"

"No," said the conductor dryly. "We had to chase her across a field."

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PRESENT PATENT LAWS CALLED 70 YEARS BEHIND THE TIMES

Patent laws now in force in many technologically advanced nations are "70 years behind the times," an American industrialist and inventor said today.

Opening a world patent conference in Washington, D.C. sponsored by the National Association of Manufacturers, Frederic O. Hess, president of Selas Corporation of America, Dresher, Pa., and chairman of the N.A.M. Patents Committee, said space-age inventions are covered by patent laws "written in the horse-and-buggy era."

While exploding technology has catapulted the human race into the age of jet travel, atomic energy and manned fights to the moon, the patent laws that spurred this rapid progress have "stood still," Mr. Hess commented.

"Today our patent laws are 70 years behind the times," he said. "And these are not 70 average years but 70 years of the mightiest technological and scientific explosion the world has ever known."

Mr. Hess said one single patented invention that becomes a commercial success "will return more than enough tax dollars each year to cover the entire national patent budget." As examples he cited "dry" photocopying, "instant" developing of snapshots and color television.

He said technology is moving ahead so fast that the present "antiquated patent system will collapse unless effective steps are taken immediately and on an international scale to modernize it.

Edward J. Brenner, Commissioner of Patents, stated that if patent offices throughout the world exchanged information, from 15 to 80 per cent of the search and examination work involved in processing patent applications could be eliminated.

He indicated that such a program alone would save the U. S. patent office $2 million annually. Mr. Brenner explained, "Considerably greater savings could accrue to applicants since less prosecution work would be involved. Approximately 75,000 cases are currently filed per year by U. S. applicants in other examining countries at considerable cost."

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Announcement on TV: "Stay tuned for five minutes of the latest news, followed by a 'Moment of Truth'."

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After the usual funeral music, opening the "Obituary Column of the Air" on WATA, Boone, N.C., the announcer said: "We're sorry to report there were no deaths in Watauga County during the past 24 hours."

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Newscaster on WBCM, Bay City, Mich.: "We'll have more news for you in just a moment, but WORSE (padron me, please, I mean FIRST) here's a word from our sponsor."

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From an ad for work clothes on a Kansas TV station: "And when they get dirty, just throw 'em in the washer and let 'er rip!"

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Weather report on WOW, Omaha: "Three inches of rain have fallen in the last 40 minutes, and in the outsquirts of the city even greater amounts have been measured."

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How could you Guttenberg? In 1966 the U. S. Government Printing Office was responsible for the printing of over one billion copies of government documents like the Congressional Record (cost, $17 million), or the annual reports of the Battle of New Orleans Sequicentennial Committee (cost, $6,000). The various agencies and departments offer pamphlets and books such as Interior's 561-page "Birds in Our Lives" (for $9), or the Office of Education's "Report to the People on Education" (64 pages, cost, $25,000).

H.L. Hunt Says

RECONVENING AND REFORMING

With Congress reconvening, NOW is the time to move for a thorough reform of the Electoral College system under which this country chooses its Chief Executive.

Such a reform by Congress in this session would have no effect on the 1968 elections, but would affect to the greatest extent possible the future of this country and its citizenry. This Congress owes it to this Republic to take every remedial action possible and necessary to insure its survival in a world in which freedom must become more charished and protected or be inevitable lost.

Uniformed leaders in both major parties are advocating the direct vote as an alternative to our present Electoral College system. This is an instance of the cure being worse than the disease, for the direct vote would have the effect of bringing the Federal Government into the States to conduct elections for offices from the city hall to the national Capitol. To such a system of government as ours this "cure" would be catastrophic indeed. There are no less than 123 reasons why reform of the Electoral College system is desirable and why the direct vote manner of "reform" would be disastrous.

If reform is a necessary and desirable as those 123 points show it to be, any dedicated and astute Congressman, Senator or state official could win popular acclaim by heading up the crusade for reform. Shepherding such a reform through the maze of government procedure could bring an outpouring of public gratitude to the young lawmaker or public figure who has the patience, dedication and love of country necessary to bring the reform to fruition, and would help him attain almost any public office he may desire. HLH

Doc. Duncan Says

Had a letter from an aged relative living in a city apartment. She said when the manager heard of the big rise in Social Security he raised her rent until she will have a dollar a month less after rent than she had before the 3% raise. At that rate it may be a good thing the boys up there didn't raise the old folks 300% like they took for themselves.

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Drew Pearson

DREW PEARSON AND JACK ANDERSON SAY:

Clifford selection follows industrial - military tradition; he'll now represent government. He battled for clients; Clifford will find transition easy.

WASHINGTON -- Every secretary of defense since the office was established in 1947 has represented the industrial - military alliance which President Eisenhower warned against in his last message to the American people. They have been either industrialists themselves or lawyers like Louis Johnson or bankers like James Forrestal representing big defense industries.

The new secretary of defense, Clark Clifford, is no exception.

The only real exception was Robert S. McNamara who, though head of the second largest motor company in the world--Ford--had been a teacher, was essentially humanitarian, and time after time bucked the Alliance which Eisenhower warned against. McNamara's theory, which he successfully sold to LBJ, was that nuclear war was so catastrophic the only solution was not to increase our already bristling arsenal of missiles but to negotiate missile and nuclear agreements with Russia instead.

Time after time McNamara refused to spend the billions voted by Rep. Mendel Rivers, D-S.C., and other hawks in congress for atomic - powered airplane carriers, the B-70 bomber and an anti-ballistic missile network. This eventually contributed to his downfall. The hawkish-minded politicos on Capitol Hill, plus the military - industrial alliance, packed too much of a punch with congress.

Clark Clifford, on the other hand, has spent all of his career as a priviate attorney defending some of the defense giants. He has been on their side in their battles against the same U.S. government which he will now represent as secretary of defense.

ROLL CALL OF CONTRACTORS

These clients have pulled down in the fiscal year 1967 the sum total of $1,890,200,000 in defense contracts plus $494,659,000 in research grants, all from Uncle Sam.

General Electric, in the fiscal year 1967, ranked fourth among the defense contractors of the nation, with a total of $1,289,800,000 in war orders. GE also received as a gift from Uncle Sam a total of $439,090,000 for research and development.

Another of Clifford's clients, the radio corporation of America, received $268,000,000 in defense contracts, plus $54,429,000 in grants from Uncle Sam.

Du Pont received $179,600,000 in defense contracts, and $1,140,000 in grants for research.

Standard oil of California, another Clifford Client, received $152,800,000 in defense contracts.

Clifford has done a phenomenal job for these clients.

He helped to get Phillips Petroleum the right to build a refinery in Puerto Rico when all other oil companies were opposed.

He got the Du Pont family's tax bill drastically reduced when they faced the prospect of paying Uncle Sam $470 million in taxes after the court decreed they had to sell their General Motors stock. This was done by an act of congress.

Later, when General Motors stock went up in value, Clifford saved the Du Pont family around $56 million additional by persuading the treasury to write a special tax ruling for the Du Ponts.

Clifford has also represented the largest pipeline company in the world, El Paso Natural Gas, which three times has been cracked down on by the Supreme Court for trying to combine with Pacific Natural Gas. Somehow or other the battery of astute lawyers always got El Paso's dubious claims past a complacent justice department and a previously supine federal power commission, now much improved. They were not successful, however, in lulling the supreme court.

It should be noted that Clifford was not alone. For various legal footwork, El Paso paid Richard Nixon's law firm $77,629.20 in one year and the John Foster Dulles Law Firm of Sullivan and Cromwell $946,645.54 over a longer period of time. Not of record are the fees paid to Clark Clifford, but they must have been considerable because he did a Herculean job for El Paso.

LAWYER FOR UNCLE SAM

As Secretary of Defense, Clifford will be in the position of switching his very considerable talents for Uncle Sam. The only question is whether he has been so long steeped in the atmosphere of his industrial clients that he can make the switch. His friends, including Lyndon B. Johnson, are convinced he can.

He understands the language of the defense giants and could be just as tough on them as he was with the U.S. government when he represented the giants against the government.

Another asset will be his ability to speak the language of Capitol Hill. Clifford is an old poker - playing Truman Democrat who has taken money away from the toughest hawks in the house and senate. Unlike Bob McNamara, who talked with graphs and computers, Clark Clifford can talk the language of the Bourbon highball. Unfortunately this is almost essential when it comes to dealing with headstrong congressmen such as Mendel Rivers who are convinced they know more about missiles and carriers than any secretary of defense.

Making the transition from a tough corporation lawyer to a tough lawyer for Uncle Sam will not be easy. Some lawyers, when they join the government, never get it done. But we believe Clifford will do it. He is an honest and extremely able man.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

REUTHER'S SECOND-IN-COMMAND

Quiet Man, Mazey, Challenges Meany to Showdown On Charges U. S. Labor Peace Meetings Organized in Hanoi

Detroit: -- Inside labor they say that a national union secretary - treasurer is one who would marry Elizabeth Taylor for her money. There must be exceptions. One is the one man whirlwind, Emil Mazey. As United Auto Workers union secretary-treasurer, he sits on a cash flow of hundreds of millions of dollars and rarely surfaces because there are always the intricacies of running that union's vast mechanisms as second-in-command.

But now the 54-year-old Mazey, one of the youngest of the truly influential national labor chiefs, is surfacing rapidly. Walter Reuther, desperately hard hit by brother Roy's death, is off on a long vacation at his Fort Myers, Fla., home.

Walter was far closer to Roy than to brother Victor. It was Roy who sat in on major speech writings, on strategy and political operations. Walter is suffering physically, mentally and spiritually.

Thus Mazey swiftly becomes a man the nation should know well. For the union's gargantuan machinery is in his hands as it was for almost a year after Walter and Victor were shot and brutally injured by the underworld some 20 years ago.

Not only did Mazey sign the first Ford contract in '41, he also wrapped up the first cost-of-living escalator and annual improvement factor clauses with General Motors in '48. But he is up front now for a reason other than his disbursement of some $50 million in strike benefit payments and his direction of the UAW's sprawling assets.

He never lets his financial operations get in the way of a tough fight. And he's in for a running battle with one of the toughest infighters in this nation--AFL-CIO president George Meany. Mazey has just dispatched an acrid four-page letter to Meany denouncing the man whom President Johnson now calls "Mr. Labor."

This missive is Mazey's explosive retort to Meany's charges that the Nov. 11 Chicago Labor Leadership Assembly for Peace was conceived by a committee in Hanoi.

Since Mazey was the dynamo, albeit a quiet-purring one, who sparked this meeting, and others soon to be held across country, he wrote to Meany in language which had more needless than a "hatchery of porcupines."

"I'm against the war," he said when we lunched the other day, "but that doesn't mean that Meany can paint me as an agent in Hanoi. I have always tried to organize my dissent in a constructive manner.

"Once you gave the impression I'm a rabble-rouser. Far from it."

He pointed out that he had, since his early days, been a rebel but a reasonable one.

Recalling his bring-the-boys-back-home campaign at the end of World War II, Mazey said: "I organized a demobilization meeting of 600 men of the headquarters company of Sub Base "R" in Batangas, the Philippines. We raised $600 in January to send cables to President Truman and key congressional leaders protesting the slowdown of demobilization. On Jan. 6, 1946, I organized a rally of 4,000 officers and men at Sub Base "R" with the permission of the base commander. We raised $6,000 which we used for cables to President Truman and every Senator and Congressman concerning the demobilization problem."

Then Mazey organized a committee of soldiers, met with the then Secretary of War Patterson in January '46 and not only protested the slowdown in the demobilization of the army but also argued against reinstituting close-order drills and lectures on such matters as "cleaning and care of weapons." The late Secretary Patterson listened and ended the drills and lectures.

Through the next two decades Mazey consistently was a direct actionist. He took the leadership of the labor contingent opposed to President Johnson's Vietnam policies. At the November assemblage, he decried the violence of some peace advocates.

Somehow those words were lost to the record. They should not be:

"The purpose of dissent is not to disagree or to become disagreeable. The purpose of dissent must be to change existing policies that we believe to be wrong.

"There are thousands of well-intentioned people ... who oppose our government's policy in Vietnam. Unfortunately, their method of protest is based on emotions and not logic and their actions are hurting the cause of peace and strengthening those forces which want to extend and escalate the Vietnam war.

"I believe that the march on the Pentagon, the burning of American flags, the burning of draft cards, the carrying of Viet Cong flags, sit-ins at draft boards, the demonstrations and disturbance at injunction centers, play into the hands of the hawks...

"We must carry on our dessent in an effort to change policies we believe to be wrong in an intelligent and constructive manner that can win converts. . ."

Recalling these words, Mazey said they hardly were the words of Hanoi. He means to open his dialogue with Meany whenever and wherever he could. What would this do to the relationship between the giant 1.5 million member UAW and the 14.3 million member AFL-CIO?

It means, Mazey asserted in blunt tones, that the UAW would pull out unless the AFL-CIO reacted favorably to such demands as the building of a $250 million national labor strike fund; or the raising of a $90 to $100 million organizing war chest; or the opening of its leadership councils to the kind of dialogues Reuther had been suggesting; or driving into the heart of the big cities with new action plans on a community level to help the working poor.

It is all a matter of timing now. But the challenge won't be dropped. Not if Emil Mazey, the UAW's second-in-command, can help it.

He's going for broke -- philosophically, that is, not financially.

Women's Page

Ruth Dillender, Women's Page Editor

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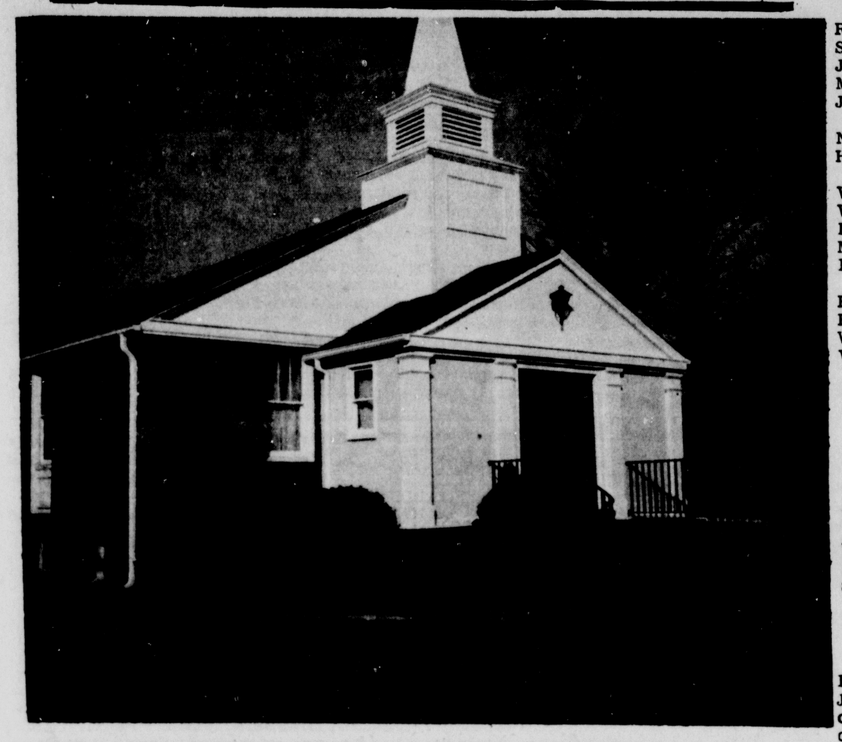

NEW LOCATION for the Church of God at 442 Smith St., will be used for first services at 7 p.m. Saturday. The building formerly was occupied by the First General Baptist church, which is moving to its new church on Kennedy drive.

Church of God Moves

The Church of God will move this week from its location at 107 Sixth street to the church building formerly owned by the First General Baptist church at 442 Smith St.

The purchase of the church was announced by the Rev. R. C. Martin, pastor.

First services in the new location will be at 7 p.m. Saturday. Gospel music will be sung by Sikeston groups.

Flower Talk

By

The Flower Basket

COLORFUL FLOWERS

Have you ever wondered why you've never seen a green blossom. Botanists have reached the conclusion that a green blossom would hardly be seen by the insects or birds that are so vital in the life process of plants by aiding pollination.

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FLOWER BASKET

201 W. Center

Rev. Robert Mackish

Mackish Will Speak Sunday

CANALOU -- The Rev. Robert Mackish, Springfield, Assemblies of God missionary to Eastern Europe, will speak Sunday at 11 a.m. at the First Assembly of God, the Rev. Jesse Duncan, pastor, has announced.

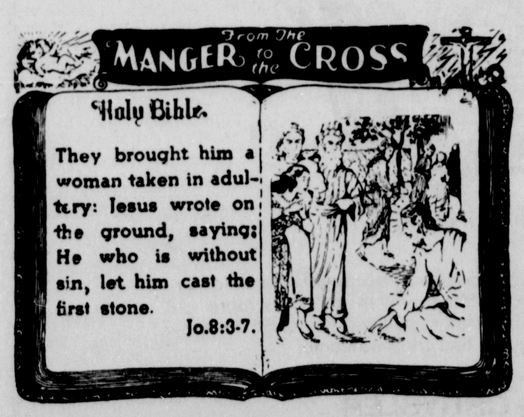
During their first term of missionary service, Mr. and Mrs. Mackish will live in Vienna. The Rev. Mr. Mackish will travel throughout Eastern Europe and visit churches.

Mackish attended the University of Kansas City in Kansas City, the University of Kansas in Lawrence; and Central Bible College in Springfield, where he earned his bachelor of arts degree in Bible.

Mrs. Mackish, a registered nurse, attended Kansas City Kansas Junior College and Bethany Hospital School of Nursing, both located in Kansas City, Kansas. After graduating from CBC, Mr. and Mrs. Mackish pastored the Assembly of God in Clay Center, Kan., and Douglas Avenue Assembly in Wichita, Kan. Mackish and his wife have two children: Deborah Sue and David James.

During the rally Sunday the needs of Europe will be presented.

The Greatest Story Ever Told



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Matthews Honor Roll Announced

MATTHEWS -- Students at Matthews R-V high school whose names appear on the honor roll for having attained an S (3.0) or better average for the second quarter are:

12th Grade -- Willard Gruen, Pat McMillen, Tim Koch, Shirley Thurman, James Myers, and Mike Geske.

11th Grade -- Terry Lape and Ronald Atwill. 10th Grade -- Sonja Harwood, Brian Clark, James Yeley, Twyla Leach, Marki Ford, and Dessie Dean Johnson.

9th Grade -- Jan Lea Helms, Nancy Cain, Harold Malloy, Steve Hooks, and Debbie Bell.

8th Grade -- Jeannie Cantrell, Venetta Darter, Debra Hartlein, Virgil Porter, Roberta Rudisill, Diane McMillen, Ginger Walls, Mike Whitlock, Charla Shelby, Peggy Plunk, and Rebecca Stroud.

7th Grade -- Elaine Clark, Randy Johnson, Kimberly Romines, John Waldron, Rosetta Whitten, Ruth E. Slayton, Stacey Vann, and Douglas Hudson.

General Baptist to Meet in Kentucky

POPLAR BLUFF -- The 1968 session of the General Association of General Baptist will meet in Owensboro, Ky., October 22-24 according to Dr. Kenneth Kennedy, denominational executive secretary.

P-TA Plans Supper

The St. Francis Xavier school Parent-Teacher association met Jan. 16 at 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The meeting was opened with prayer led by the Reb. Fr. Robert Schumacher. Twenty nine parents attended.

Screens and room-darkening shades for the school were discussed. They will be installed in about 60 days.

The new schedule for the school was discussed.

Plans for the potluck supper to be held in February were discussed. Members of the committee are Mrs. William Yarnell, Mrs. Bill Hampton, Mrs. Bob Blankenship, Mrs. Gus Richards and Mrs. Raymond Leible.

Plans for the school Valentine party were discussed. Plans will be made by the room mothers.

Room count was won by the first and second grade room.

Donna Boley 13 Years Old

BELL CITY -- Donna Boley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boley, celebrated her 13th birthday last Friday night at a bunking party.

Guests were Carol Newman, Mary Carlisle, Peggy Bright, Debbie Hicks and Sherry Owens.

Cake, soft drinks and candy were served.

BIRTHS

SANDERS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Sanders of Dexter are the parents of a daughter born Thursday in the Missouri Delta Community hospital.

GROJEAN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grojean Jr. of Chaffee are the parents of a daughter born Thursday in the Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau. The new arrival weighed seven pounds and eight ounces and is the couple's first child. Mrs. Grojean is the former Miss Mary Klipfel, daughter of Mrs. Noah Klipfel of Portageville. Grojean is an inspector for the Army Corps of Engineers and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grojean of Chaffee.

GARNER

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Garner of Advance are the parents of a son born Wednesday in the Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau. Named Randell Tab, the new arrival weighed eight pounds and six ounces and is the couple's second child and second son. Mrs. Garner is the former Miss Patsy Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynne Welch of Advance. Garner is a farmer and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernice Garner of Advance.

ESKEW

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eskew of Cape Girardeau are the parents of a daughter born Wednesday in a clinic in Advance. The new arrival weighed seven pounds and 11 ounces and is the couple's second child and second daughter. She has been named Rhonda Lee. The mother is the former Nell Harrison, daughter of Mrs. Ressie Harrison, route one, Oran. Eskew, a service station attendant, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Eskew, Vanduser.

Her Honors

Amelia Earhart, famous American aviatrix lost on a flight, was the first woman to receive the Distinguished Flying Cross and the gold medal of the National Geographic Society.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Charles L. Blanton Jr., managing editor, and Charles L. Blanton III, business manager of the Daily Standard, attended a meeting of the Missouri Press Association in Columbia today.

Ray Lane, a student at Notre Dame University, South Bend, Ind., is a weekend guest of the Phil Barketts. He accompanied the Barketts' son, Phillip Jr., home from the university. They will return to South Bend Monday. Lane lives in New Jersey.

Social Calender

SUNDAY

A study on church unity will be the subject of a panel discussion to be held at 7 p.m. Sunday at the First Methodist church.

MONDAY

The Candace Green club members of the 50th District, Order of the Eastern Star, will be guests of the Morley chapter at 6:30 p.m. Monday for a potluck dinner and meeting. The meeting will be in the Masonic Temple in Morley.

White House Dinner

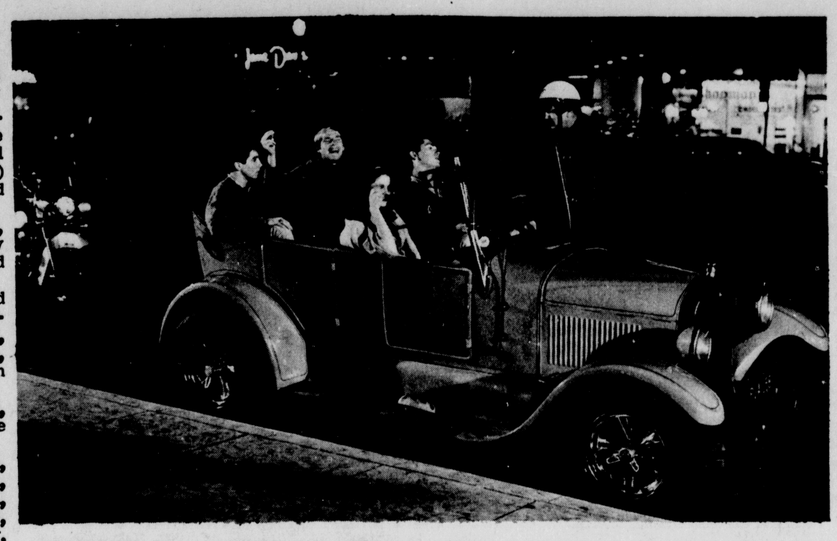
WASHINGTON AP - A weary looking President Johnson stole a few hours of relaxation Thursday night, saluting key government leaders at a White House dinner.

The black-tie affair attended by 183 guests had many light moments - including an impromptu violin duet in which Supreme Court Justice Abe Fortas showed off his fiddling skill.

But there was an undercurrent of seriousness. Without directly referring to the current crisis over the seizure by the North Koreans of a U.S. intelligence-gathering ship, several speakers alluded to the responsibilities weighing on Johnson.

"America"

The coastal areas of what are now Argentina, Brazil and Uruguay first bore the name "America." The name gradually came into use for all of South America and was later given to both continents.



YOUTHS are stopped by officers after running a stop sign. This is a scene from the Evangelist Billy Graham moving picture "The Restless Ones" coming to the Rex Theater Tuesday through Thursday.

Dorothy Deal Bihr Pledges Vows With Sidney T. Webb

CHARLESTON -- Miss Dorothy Deal Bihr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bihr, was married Saturday to Sidney Traylor Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Webb of East Prairie, at 4 p.m. in the William Meyer Chapel at the Methodist Church.

The Rev. J. Wilfred House performed the double ring ceremony standing before an altar and chancel rail draped with smilax. Tall nine-branch candelabra centered with arrangements of white snowflake mums and candytuft stood on each side of the altar. Centered in the background was a large silver urn filled with white gladioli, snapdragons, snowflake mums, and candytuft. The center aisle was lighted by burning tapers which marked each pew.

Mrs. Charles Strickland of Sikeston, sister of the groom, was soloist. She was accompanied by Mrs. Charles Allen Cook at the organ.

ESCORTED BY FATHER

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of white satin faille, with pearl - centered, Swiss embroidered flowers down the slender A-line skirt, around the high neckline, and around the long, cuffed sleeves. It had an attached chapel train. The bridal veil was of chapel-length silk illusion caught by a cloche echoing the embroidered flowers used on the gown. Her bouquet was white gardenias and stephanotis, centered with a white orchid.

Miss Bihr chose Miss Mary Ann Cook as her maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Betty House of Charleston and Sally Wright of Cape Girardeau. Their gowns were full-length dark green velvet, of A-line design with three-quarter length sleeves, and had scooped necklines with double, emerald-green satin bows on each shoulder. Each wore a large emerald satin bow on the back of her head, and carried a nosegay of white roses and smilax centered with a burning white taper.

FLOWER GIRL

The flower girl was little Miss Julie Trice, a niece of the groom and the daughter of Mrs. Charles Strickland. Her dress was short, of pale green silk organdy with an emerald - green satin sash tied with a large bow at the back. Matching ribbons were in her hair, and she wore a wristlet of white sweetheart rosebuds.

The ringbearer was Alan Trice, a nephew of the groom, and the son of Mrs. Charles Strickland.

The groom selected Gary Campion of Nashville, Tenn., as his best man. Groomsmen were Don Blaylock of Sewart Air Force Base Tenn., and Larry Trivette of Nashville. Ralph Rode and George Singleton of Sewart AFB were ushers.

Mrs. Bihr, mother of the bride, wore a straight dress of periwinkle blue with jewelled accents at the neckline and the half-long bouffant sleeves. She wore a blue velvet bow on her head. Mrs. Webb, mother of the groom, wore a flamingo coat-dress ensemble with jewel trim at the neckline. She had matching slippers and a small blossom hat of flamingo. Each wore a gardenia corsage.

RECEPTION AT COUNTRY CLUB

A reception was held at the Charleston Country Club. The receiving line stood before a background of palms flanked on each side by tall, nine-branch candelabra. The club was decorated with white snowflake mums, white roses, smilax, and palms. Glowing white tapers in silver candelabra were used on the tables and mantle. Organ music was furnished by Matt Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bryant. Miss Shirley Barnes of Memphis, Miss Pam Ferrell and Miss Marilyn Hillhouse of Wyatt served at the reception table. Misses Elizabeth Ann Glass and Mary Ella McNeary passed baskets of rice.

For going away, the bride wore a costume suit of gold wool with a full-length coat, brown patent shoes and bag, and a white orchid corsage.

The couple will reside at the Hickory Hill Apartments, Stew-Art Ferry Pike, Nashville, Tenn. Webb is an accounting and finance specialist with the Air Force at Sewart AFB, Tenn.

OUT-OF-TOWN GUESTS

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Patton of Birmingham, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin D. Bihr and Mr. and Mrs. George H. Pearson of Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. W. Wayne Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Hutcherson of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. William P. Webster of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Jacobsmeyer of Clayton; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Lamkin Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lamkin, R. E. L. Lankin Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Wright, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Renfro Gibbs of Cape Girardeau; Dr. and Mrs. Flint Bondurant of Cairo; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Campion, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Trivette of Nashville; George Singleton, Ralph Rode, and Don Blaylock of Sewart AFB: Mrs. George A. Lough of Sikeston; Mrs. Blanton Traylor and Mrs. L. D. Davis of East Prairie.

BUFFET LUNCHEON

Mrs. W. B. Ragsdale entertained at noon Saturday with a buffet luncheon at the Charlestonian for the out-of-town guests attending the Bihr - Webb wedding. The buffet table held a large arrangement of white roses, snowflake mums and candytuft, and the smaller tables were centered with arrangements of snowflake mums. Covers were laid for 24.

BRIDESMAIDS' LUNCHEON

Mrs. William W. McNeary gave a bridesmaids' luncheon in her home Saturday in honor of Miss Dorothy Bihr.

White spider mums and roses formed the centerpiece on the dining room table.

The wedding party members and wives of the groomsmen were presented gifts by Miss Bihr.

Twelve women attended.

HOSPITAL NOTES

PATIENTS ADMITTED TO THE MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL: 1-25-68

Christine Powell, Canalou
Delila Price, Portageville
Paul Couch, Sikeston
Rena Bramlett, Sikeston
Byrn Sheppard, Bertrand
Barbara L. McGarity, Essex
Gertrude M. Harris, Sikeston
Anna Stanley, Sikeston
Louis B. Cowan, East Prairie
Lyddia Myrtle Heath, Sikeston

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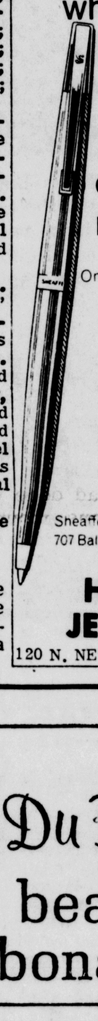

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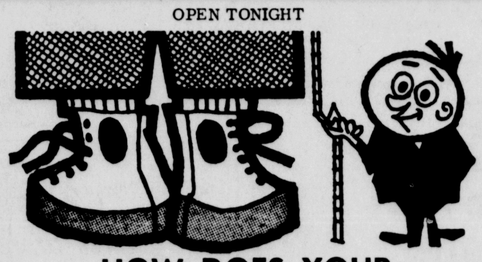

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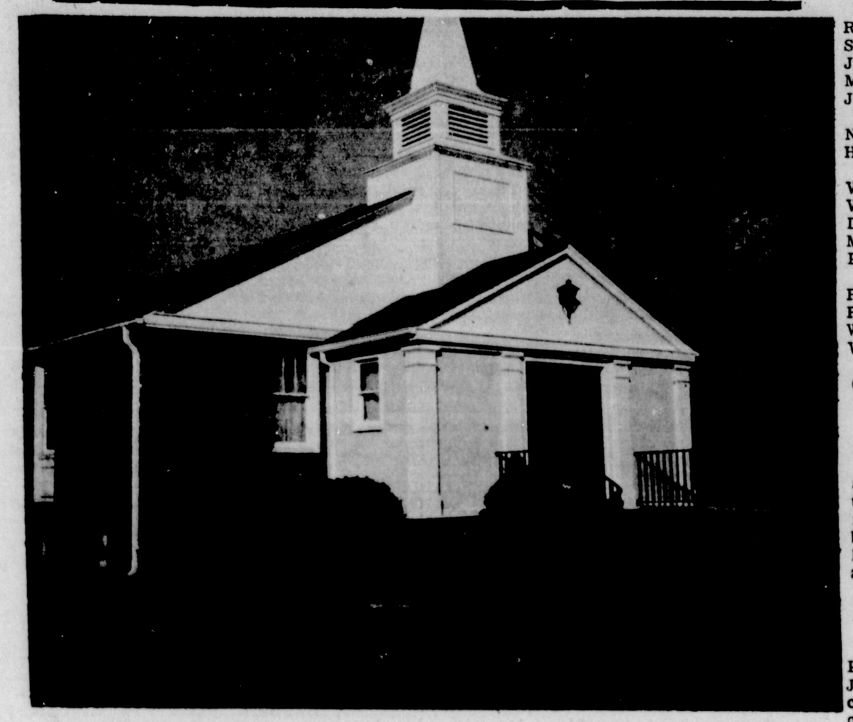

NEW LOCATION for the Church of God at 442 Smith St., will be used for first services at 7 p.m. Saturday. The building formerly was occupied by the First General Baptist church, which is moving to its new church on Kennedy drive.

Church of God Moves

The Church of God will move this week from its location at 107 Sixth street to the church building formerly owned by the First General Baptist church at 442 Smith St.

The purchase of the church was announced by the Rev. R. C. Martin, pastor.

First services in the new location will be at 7 p.m. Saturday. Gospel music will be sung by Sikeston groups.

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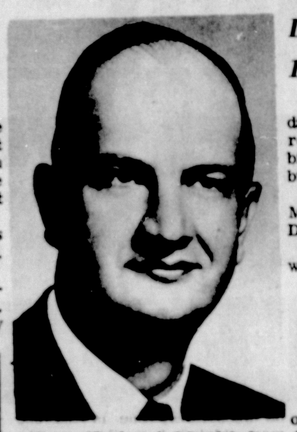

Rev. Robert Mackish

Mackish Will Speak Sunday

CANALOU -- The Rev. Robert Mackish, Springfield, Assemblies of God missionary to Eastern Europe, will speak Sunday at 11 a.m. at the First Assembly of God, the Rev. Jesse Duncan, pastor, has announced.

During their first term of missionary service, Mr. and Mrs. Mackish will live in Vienna. The Rev. Mr. Mackish will travel throughout Eastern Europe and visit churches.

Mackish attended the University of Kansas City in Kansas City, the University of Kansas in Lawrence; and Central Bible College in Springfield, where he earned his bachelor of arts degree in Bible.

Mrs. Mackish, a registered nurse, attended Kansas City Kansas Junior College and Bethany Hospital School of Nursing, both located in Kansas City, Kansas. After graduating from CBC, Mr. and Mrs. Mackish pastored the Assembly of God in Clay Center, Kan., and Douglas Avenue Assembly in Wichita, Kan. Mackish and his wife have two children: Deborah Sue and David James.

During the rally Sunday the needs of Europe will be presented.

Donna Boley 13 Years Old

BELL CITY -- Donna Boley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boley, celebrated her 13th birthday last Friday night at a bunking party.

Guests were Carol Newman, Mary Carlisle, Peggy Bright, Debbie Hicks and Sherry Owens.

Cake, soft drinks and candy were served.

BIRTHS

SANDERS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Sanders of Dexter are the parents of a daughter born Thursday in the Missouri Delta Community hospital.

GROJEAN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grojean Jr. of Chaffee are the parents of a daughter born Thursday in the Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau. The new arrival weighed seven pounds and eight ounces and is the couple's first child. Mrs. Grojean is the former Miss Mary Klipfel, daughter of Mrs. Noah Klipfel of Portageville. Grojean is an inspector for the Army Corps of Engineers and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grojean of Chaffee.

GARNER

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Garner of Advance are the parents of a son born Wednesday in the Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau. Named Randell Tab, the new arrival weighed eight pounds and six ounces and is the couple's second child and second son. Mrs. Garner is the former Miss Patsy Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynne Welch of Advance. Garner is a farmer and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernice Garner of Advance.

ESKEW

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eskew of Cape Girardeau are the parents of a daughter born Wednesday in a clinic in Advance. The new arrival weighed seven pounds and 11 ounces and is the couple's second child and second daughter. She has been named Rhonda Lee. The mother is the former Nell Harrison, daughter of Mrs. Ressie Harrison, route one, Oran. Eskew, a service station attendant, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Eskew, Vanduser.

Her Honors

Amelia Earhart, famous American aviatrix lost on a flight, was the first woman to receive the Distinguished Flying Cross and the gold medal of the National Geographic Society.

Matthews Honor Roll Announced

MATTHEWS -- Students at Matthews R-V high school whose names appear on the honor roll for having attained an S (3.0) or better average for the second quarter are:

12th Grade -- Willard Gruen, Pat McMillen, Tim Koch, Shirley Thurman, James Myers, and Mike Geske.

11th Grade -- Terry Lape and Ronald Atwill. 10th Grade -- Sonja Harwood, Brian Clark, James Yeley, Twyla Leach, Marki Ford, and Dessie Dean Johnson.

9th Grade -- Jan Lea Helms, Nancy Cain, Harold Malloy, Steve Hooks, and Debbie Bell.

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7th Grade -- Elaine Clark, Randy Johnson, Kimberly Romines, John Waldron, Rosetta Whitten, Ruth E. Slayton, Stacey Vann, and Douglas Hudson.

General Baptist to Meet in Kentucky

POPLAR BLUFF -- The 1968 session of the General Association of General Baptist will meet in Owensboro, Ky., October 22-24 according to Dr. Kenneth Kennedy, denominational executive secretary.

P-TA Plans Supper

The St. Francis Xavier school Parent-Teacher association met Jan. 16 at 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The meeting was opened with prayer led by the Reb. Fr. Robert Schumacher. Twenty nine parents attended.

Screens and room-darkening shades for the school were discussed. They will be installed in about 60 days.

The new schedule for the school was discussed.

Plans for the potluck supper to be held in February were discussed. Members of the committee are Mrs. William Yarnell, Mrs. Bill Hampton, Mrs. Bob Blankenship, Mrs. Gus Richards and Mrs. Raymond Leible.

Plans for the school Valentine party were discussed. Plans will be made by the room mothers.

Room count was won by the first and second grade room.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Charles L. Blanton Jr., managing editor, and Charles L. Blanton III, business manager of the Daily Standard, attended a meeting of the Missouri Press Association in Columbia today.

Ray Lane, a student at Notre Dame University, South Bend, Ind., is a weekend guest of the Phil Barketts. He accompanied the Barketts' son, Phillip Jr., home from the university. They will return to South Bend Monday. Lane lives in New Jersey.

Social Calender

SUNDAY

A study on church unity will be the subject of a panel discussion to be held at 7 p.m. Sunday at the First Methodist church.

MONDAY

The Candace Green club members of the 50th District, Order of the Eastern Star, will be guests of the Morley chapter at 6:30 p.m. Monday for a potluck dinner and meeting. The meeting will be in the Masonic Temple in Morley.

White House Dinner

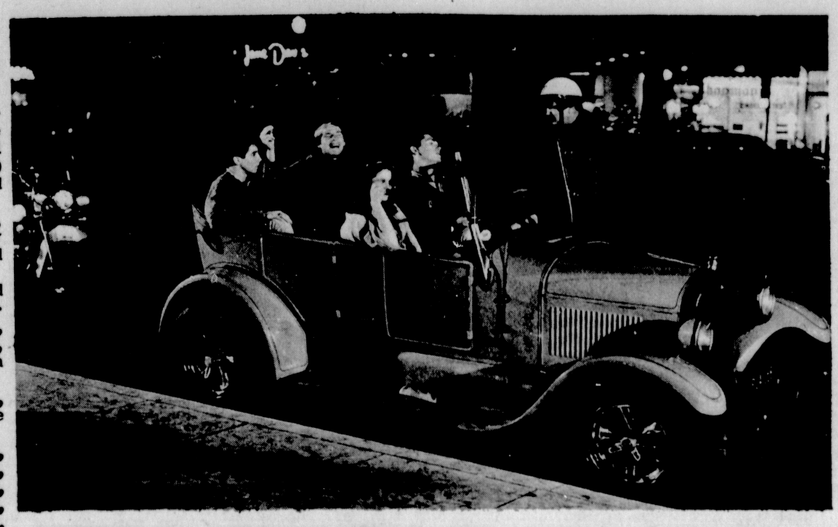
WASHINGTON AP - A weary looking President Johnson stole a few hours of relaxation Thursday night, saluting key government leaders at a White House dinner.

The black-tie affair attended by 183 guests had many light moments - including an impromptu violin duet in which Supreme Court Justice Abe Fortas showed off his fiddling skill.

But there was an undercurrent of seriousness. Without directly referring to the current crisis over the seizure by the North Koreans of a U.S. intelligence-gathering ship, several speakers alluded to the responsibilities weighing on Johnson.

"America"

The coastal areas of what are now Argentina, Brazil and Uruguay first bore the name "America." The name gradually came into use for all of South America and was later given to both continents.



YOUTHS are stopped by officers after running a stop sign. This is a scene from the Evangelist Billy Graham moving picture "The Restless Ones" coming to the Rex Theater Tuesday through Thursday.

Dorothy Deal Bihr Pledges Vows With Sidney T. Webb

CHARLESTON -- Miss Dorothy Deal Bihr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bihr, was married Saturday to Sidney Traylor Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Webb of East Prairie, at 4 p.m. in the William Meyer Chapel at the Methodist Church.

The Rev. J. Wilfred House performed the double ring ceremony standing before an altar and chancel rail draped with smilax. Tall nine-branch candelabra centered with arrangements of white snowflake mums and candytuft stood on each side of the altar. Centered in the background was a large silver urn filled with white gladioli, snapdragons, snowflake mums, and candytuft. The center aisle was lighted by burning tapers which marked each pew.

Mrs. Charles Strickland of Sikeston, sister of the groom, was soloist. She was accompanied by Mrs. Charles Allen Cook at the organ.

ESCORTED BY FATHER

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of white satin faille, with pearl - centered, Swiss embroidered flowers down the slender A-line skirt, around the high neckline, and around the long, cuffed sleeves. It had an attached chapel train. The bridal veil was of chapel-length silk illusion caught by a cloche echoing the embroidered flowers used on the gown. Her bouquet was white gardenias and stephanotis, centered with a white orchid.

Miss Bihr chose Miss Mary Ann Cook as her maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Betty House of Charleston and Sally Wright of Cape Girardeau. Their gowns were full-length dark green velvet, of A-line design with three-quarter length sleeves, and had scooped necklines with double, emerald-green satin bows on each shoulder. Each wore a large emerald satin bow on the back of her head, and carried a nosegay of white roses and smilax centered with a burning white taper.

FLOWER GIRL

The flower girl was little Miss Julie Trice, a niece of the groom and the daughter of Mrs. Charles Strickland. Her dress was short, of pale green silk organdy with an emerald - green satin sash tied with a large bow at the back. Matching ribbons were in her hair, and she wore a wristlet of white sweetheart rosebuds.

The ringbearer was Alan Trice, a nephew of the groom, and the son of Mrs. Charles Strickland.

The groom selected Gary Campion of Nashville, Tenn., as his best man. Groomsmen were Don Blaylock of Sewart Air Force Base Tenn., and Larry Trivette of Nashville. Ralph Rode and George Singleton of Sewart AFB were ushers.

Mrs. Bihr, mother of the bride, wore a straight dress of periwinkle blue with jewelled accents at the neckline and the half-long bouffant sleeves. She wore a blue velvet bow on her head. Mrs. Webb, mother of the groom, wore a flamingo coat-dress ensemble with jewel trim at the neckline. She had matching slippers and a small blossom hat of flamingo. Each wore a gardenia corsage.

RECEPTION AT COUNTRY CLUB

A reception was held at the Charleston Country Club. The receiving line stood before a background of palms flanked on each side by tall, nine-branch candelabra. The club was decorated with white snowflake mums, white roses, smilax, and palms. Glowing white tapers in silver candelabra were used on the tables and mantle. Organ music was furnished by Matt Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bryant. Miss Shirley Barnes of Memphis, Miss Pam Ferrell and Miss Marilyn Hillhouse of Wyatt served at the reception table. Misses Elizabeth Ann Glass and Mary Ella McNeary passed baskets of rice.

For going away, the bride wore a costume suit of gold wool with a full-length coat, brown patent shoes and bag, and a white orchid corsage.

The couple will reside at the Hickory Hill Apartments, Stew-Art Ferry Pike, Nashville, Tenn. Webb is an accounting and finance specialist with the Air Force at Sewart AFB, Tenn.

OUT-OF-TOWN GUESTS

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Patton of Birmingham, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin D. Bihr and Mr. and Mrs. George H. Pearson of Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. W. Wayne Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Hutcherson of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. William P. Webster of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Jacobsmeyer of Clayton; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Lamkin Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lamkin, R. E. L. Lankin Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Wright, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Renfro Gibbs of Cape Girardeau; Dr. and Mrs. Flint Bondurant of Cairo; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Campion, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Trivette of Nashville; George Singleton, Ralph Rode, and Don Blaylock of Sewart AFB: Mrs. George A. Lough of Sikeston; Mrs. Blanton Traylor and Mrs. L. D. Davis of East Prairie.

BUFFET LUNCHEON

Mrs. W. B. Ragsdale entertained at noon Saturday with a buffet luncheon at the Charlestonian for the out-of-town guests attending the Bihr - Webb wedding. The buffet table held a large arrangement of white roses, snowflake mums and candytuft, and the smaller tables were centered with arrangements of snowflake mums. Covers were laid for 24.

BRIDESMAIDS' LUNCHEON

Mrs. William W. McNeary gave a bridesmaids' luncheon in her home Saturday in honor of Miss Dorothy Bihr.

White spider mums and roses formed the centerpiece on the dining room table.

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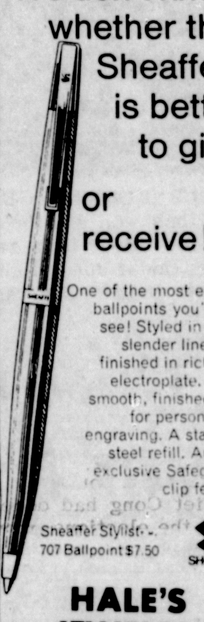

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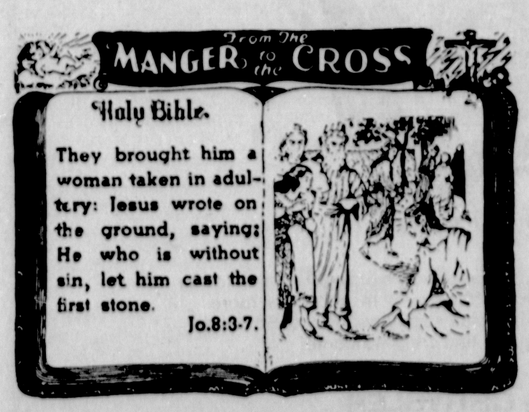

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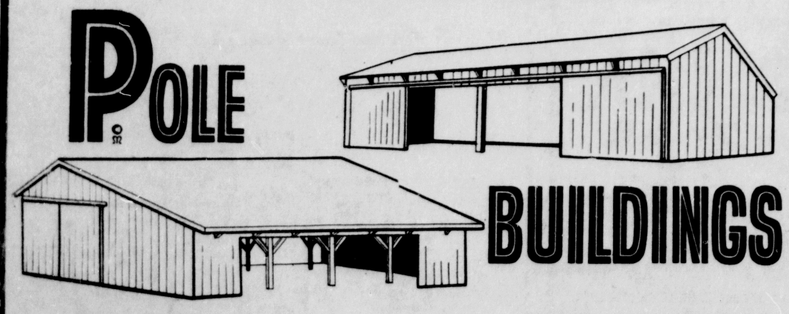

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Scoring:

(B)

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Bowling 10, Wilkerson 3, Yount 10, Gaines 3, Lafferty 17. Totals: FG--13; FT--17 PF--12.

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Buttrey 7, Holly 9, Pridy 1, Durham 5, Lambert 2, Smith 12. Totals: FG--14; FT--8; PF--17.

Score by Quarters:

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Woodland	9	7	11	9

(A)

Richland (52)

Williamson 14, Gaylord 4, Fowler 11, Scott 13, G. Brown 2, L. Brown 8. Totals: FG--20; FT--12; PF--11.

Bell City (47)

Coomer 3, Hasty 4, Lee 19, Rampley 9, Watson 12. Totals: FG--18; FT--11; PF--14.

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Bell City	17	2	10	18

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DEERING -- North Pemiscot high school of Wardell nailed down the Bootheel conference basketball championship last night by posting a 68-60 win over Delta C-7 for a 4-1 conference record and an 11-6 overall slate.

A big night by guard Dennis Fisher provided the scoring spark for the win as the 5-10 speedster netted 23 points.

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Delta C-7 opened with a convincing 65-49 junior varsity triumph, leaving the B Mustangs at 2-3 for the year.

Scoring:

N. Pemiscot (68)

Fisher 23, Strong 13, Womble 8, Lawrence 14, McCulloch 4, Arbuckle 6. Totals: FG--24; FT--18; PF--12.

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The Blackbirds, No. 1 for the first time this season, hurdled both Evansville and Kentucky Wesleyan in taking over the top position from the Purple Aces. The Panthers from Owensboro, Ky., dropped to third.

LIU collected six votes for first place and 110 points in the latest poll based on games through last Saturday. Evansville had three votes for the No. 1 spot and 109 points, the latter on a basis of 10 points for a first-place vote, 9 for second, down to 1 for 10th.

Kentucky Wesleyan had 98 points. Southwestern Louisiana is fourth followed in order by Southwest Missouri State, Indiana State, Trinity, Tex., Guilford, Pan American and Lincoln, Mo.

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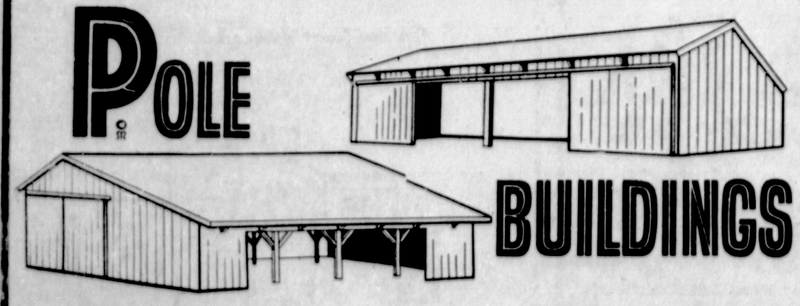

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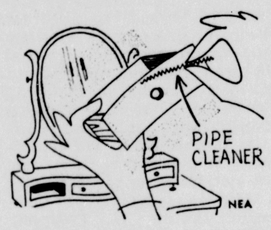

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The object was part of the warhead of an 82mm Communist mortar shell, that might explode at any time. A piece of metal nearly 3.5 inches across and 4 inches deep, it had buried itself in the abdomen of Pfc. Robert Mussari, 19, of Scranton, Pa., during a Communist attack Sunday morning.

"I could hardly believe my eyes when they brought him in," said the doctor, Lt. Edward Feldman, 26, of Forest Hills, N.Y.

"I pulled back part of the big field dressing and saw a metal pipe just sticking out of his abdomen. There had been some bleeding, but the shell must have been scorching hot when it hit him. It had partly cauterized the wound and bits of his skin, tissue and bandage were stuck to it like glue.

"When I finally grasped what the problem was, I remembered the famous operation nearly two years ago in Vietnam in which a live shell had been removed from a soldier in a field operation.

"When I read about it then in the States, I never dreamed I would have to do the same thing."

When Mussari was hit, other Marines carried him to the battalion aid station. But the medical tents were on fire and the electric power had been cut by the shelling.

Feldman and his assistant, Chief Hospitalman Richard Asquith, 35, of Atlantic Beach, Fla., and their crew of Navy corpsmen quickly shifted the emergency operating center to a large sand-bagged bunker.

Huddled in the far corner of the dark bunker, Feldman quickly gave Mussari morphine to kill the pain. He sent someone to get a Marine engineer who might know how to handle the shell with the least chance of setting it off.

Staff Sgt. Ronald Sniegowski, 30, of San Clemente, Calif., reached the bunker within minutes. But Sniegowski, with only a small part of the metal showing, was unable to determine positively what it was.

He suspected it was part of a delayed action shell that normally blows up 2½ hours after impact. An hour and three quarters already had gone by.

Feldman ordered Asquith to clear all the other wounded and all of the corpsmen not needed out of the bunker.

"Then I had them build a little wall around Mussari, sandbags five layers high," Feldman explained. "I remembered from the earlier story how the Army doctor had made a window in a wall of sandbags to operate through and I wanted to do that, too, by making a hole in the wall of the bunker. But there just wasn't time and shells were still landing outside."

Asquith, a Navy veteran of 16 years serving his third tour in Vietnam, posted himself at the bunker entrance to keep everybody out.

Corpsman Roger Tillotson, 23, of Potomac, Ill., took four flashlights, clamped them together and held the light on Mussari.

Feldman said Mussari was conscious all through removal of the object.

Later, Mussari was evacuated by air.

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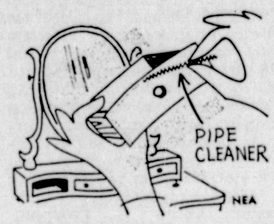

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SAIGON (AP) — The young Navy doctor's most pressing problem was not the enemy mortar and rocket shells that were slamming into the combat base, at Khe Sanh. Rather it was a metal object protruding from the abdomen of a wounded Marine.

The object was part of the warhead of an 82mm Communist mortar shell, that might explode at any time. A piece of metal nearly 3.5 inches across and 4 inches deep, it had buried itself in the abdomen of Pfc. Robert Mussari, 19, of Scranton, Pa., during a Communist attack Sunday morning.

"I could hardly believe my eyes when they brought him in," said the doctor, Lt. Edward Feldman, 26, of Forest Hills, N.Y.

"I pulled back part of the big field dressing and saw a metal pipe just sticking out of his abdomen. There had been some bleeding, but the shell must have been scorching hot when it hit him. It had partly cauterized the wound and bits of his skin, tissue and bandage were stuck to it like glue.

"When I finally grasped what the problem was, I remembered the famous operation nearly two years ago in Vietnam in which a live shell had been removed from a soldier in a field operation.

"When I read about it then in the States, I never dreamed I would have to do the same thing."

When Mussari was hit, other Marines carried him to the battalion aid station. But the medical tents were on fire and the electric power had been cut by the shelling.

Feldman and his assistant, Chief Hospitalman Richard Asquith, 35, of Atlantic Beach, Fla., and their crew of Navy corpsmen quickly shifted the emergency operating center to a large sand-bagged bunker.

Huddled in the far corner of the dark bunker, Feldman quickly gave Mussari morphine to kill the pain. He sent someone to get a Marine engineer who might know how to handle the shell with the least chance of setting it off.

Staff Sgt. Ronald Sniegowski, 30, of San Clemente, Calif., reached the bunker within minutes. But Sniegowski, with only a small part of the metal showing, was unable to determine positively what it was.

He suspected it was part of a delayed action shell that normally blows up 2½ hours after impact. An hour and three quarters already had gone by.

Feldman ordered Asquith to clear all the other wounded and all of the corpsmen not needed out of the bunker.

"Then I had them build a little wall around Mussari, sandbags five layers high," Feldman explained. "I remembered from the earlier story how the Army doctor had made a window in a wall of sandbags to operate through and I wanted to do that, too, by making a hole in the wall of the bunker. But there just wasn't time and shells were still landing outside."

Asquith, a Navy veteran of 16 years serving his third tour in Vietnam, posted himself at the bunker entrance to keep everybody out.

Corpsman Roger Tillotson, 23, of Potomac, Ill., took four flashlights, clamped them together and held the light on Mussari.

Feldman said Mussari was conscious all through removal of the object.

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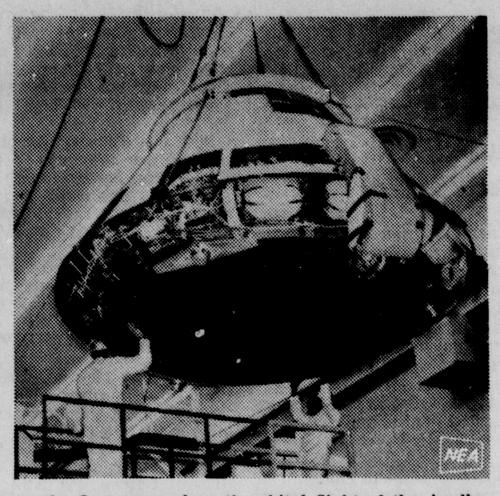

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Though some questions about ALG remain unanswered, the Denver team, headed by Dr. Thomas E. Starzl, reports the survival rate of kidney patients one year after transplant— with related donors— has risen from 70 to 95 per cent. About 60 kidney patients have received ALG since mid-1966.

Five liver transplant patients were given the injections. Three still are living, the only known survivors of such operations.

In both kidney and liver studies, the fatalities were not related to the serum.

Preliminary work on heart transplant is under way with animals in the laboratories here, but the transplant team has emphasized it is preliminary, and no immediate attempt with man is foreseen.

However, Dr. Gilbert Blount Jr., head of the university's cardiology department, said in a speech in Texas the university should be capable of conducting a heart transplant by spring.

Dr. Christia n Barnard, who has performed two human heart transplants in South Africa, said he and his associates "have thought a lot about this serum. We have carried out a lot of experiments with it, but have not used it clinically. There is still a lot of uncertainty and danger in it. In a new operation we do not want to risk complications."

The most common weapons used to head off rejection of new organs have been the drugs azathioprine and prednisone.

But massive doses of prednisone can open the way to diabetes, decalcification, ulcers, Cushing's disease and high blood pressure. It can mask infection until the body is ravaged, and throw body chemistries drastically out of balance.

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Doctors here found that by giving ALG just before and up to four months after transplant, the prednisone dosage often could be halved, and the amount of azathioprine significantly reduced, without harming function of the new kidney.

Antilymphocyte globulin is obtained by injecting horses with human lymph nodes, spleens and thymus, then extracting the serum from the immunized animals and refining it.

The drawbacks to its use include evidence that overdoses can lead to nephritis in the transplanted kidney. That is the same disease that in many cases destroyed the patient's own kidneys. However, biopsies of the first eight kidneys implanted in patients getting ALG showed no sign of this.

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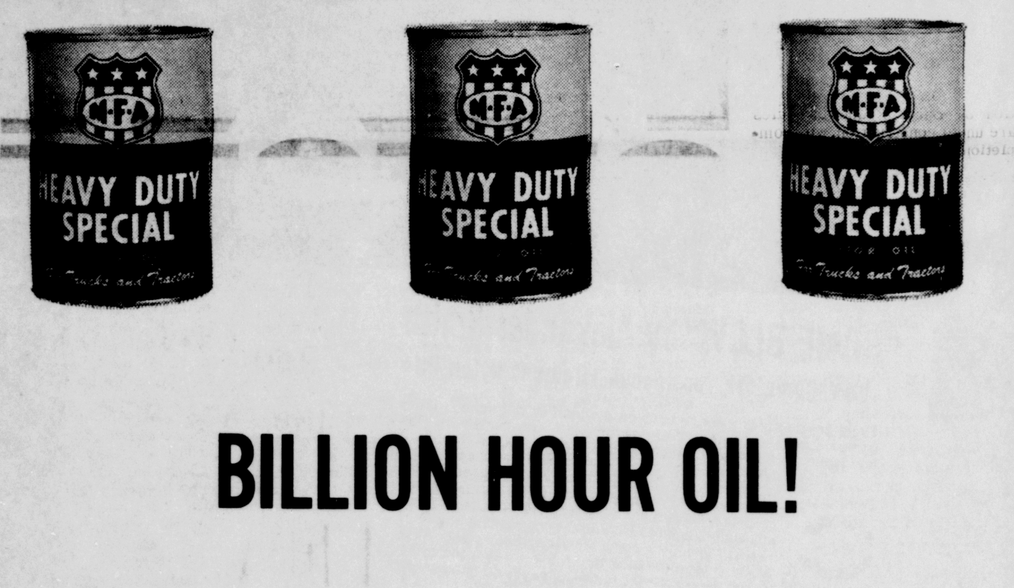

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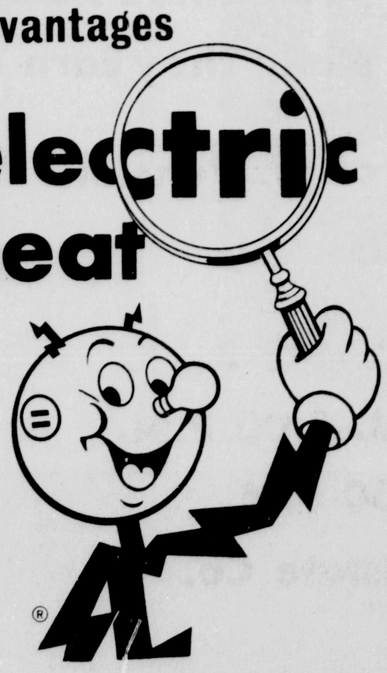

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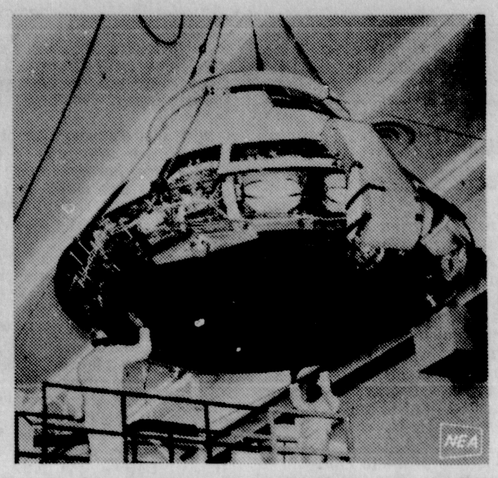

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The doctors say ALG is no panacea— "there's nothing magical about it," said one— but they see it as a promising step along the way to controlling rejection, the big bugaboo facing any transplant, whether it be kidney or heart.

Though some questions about ALG remain unanswered, the Denver team, headed by Dr. Thomas E. Starzl, reports the survival rate of kidney patients one year after transplant— with related donors— has risen from 70 to 95 per cent. About 60 kidney patients have received ALG since mid-1966.

Five liver transplant patients were given the injections. Three still are living, the only known survivors of such operations.

In both kidney and liver studies, the fatalities were not related to the serum.

Preliminary work on heart transplant is under way with animals in the laboratories here, but the transplant team has emphasized it is preliminary, and no immediate attempt with man is foreseen.

However, Dr. Gilbert Blount Jr., head of the university's cardiology department, said in a speech in Texas the university should be capable of conducting a heart transplant by spring.

Dr. Christian Barnard, who has performed two human heart transplants in South Africa, said he and his associates "have thought a lot about this serum. We have carried out a lot of experiments with it, but have not used it clinically. There is still a lot of uncertainty and danger in it. In a new operation we do not want to risk complications."

The most common weapons used to head off rejection of new organs have been the drugs azathioprine and prednisone.

But massive doses of prednisone can open the way to diabetes, decalcification, ulcers, Cushing's disease and high blood pressure. It can mask infection until the body is ravaged, and throw body chemistries drastically out of balance.

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Antilymphocyte globulin is obtained by injecting horses with human lymph nodes, spleens and thymus, then extracting the serum from the immunized animals and refining it.

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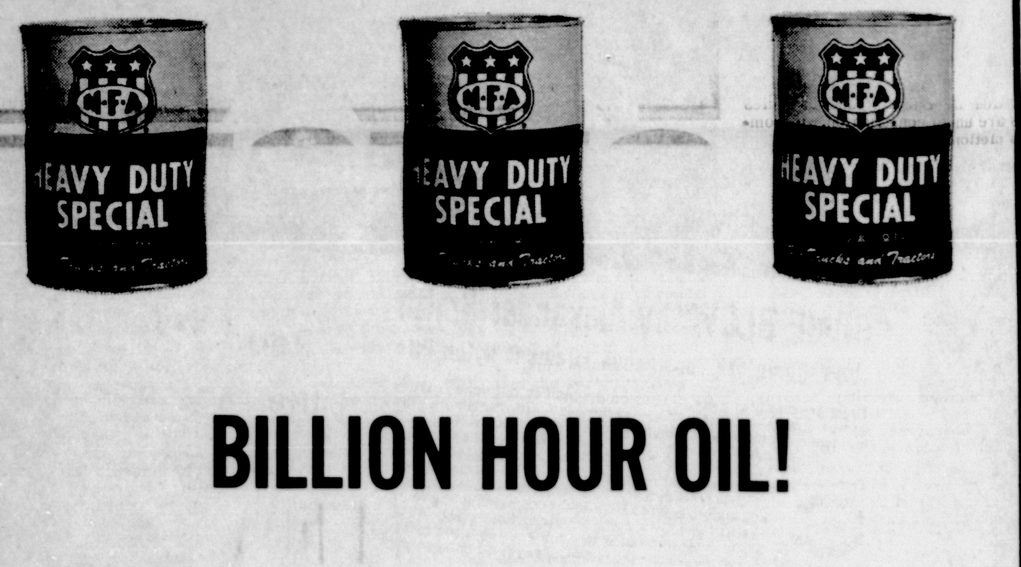

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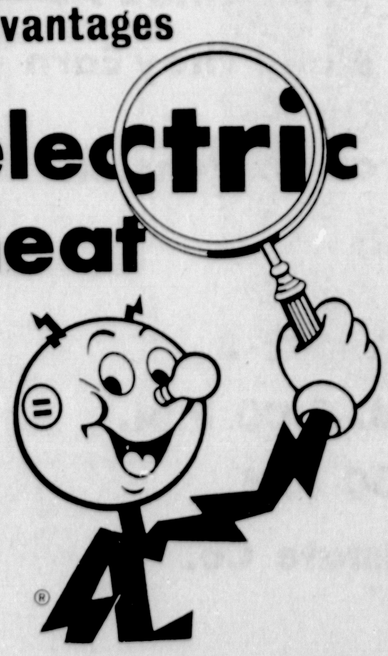

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He says: "I believe we are put on this earth not only for ourselves but for others. We have an obligation to make life better for others. This is translated in terms of faith, We cre our brother's brother."

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Whereas some of the solid blue chip stocks on the New York Stock Exchange sell for $100 or more, an American Exchange trader has his choice of about 60 stocks selling for less than $5 and many more for less than $10.

Lending encouragement as well as impact to this churning of stock, some Wall Street informants say, are registered representatives who speculate for their own accounts and encourage customers to do likewise.

A few other factors also may be involved: No matter what is said for the record, credit for speculating is pretty easy to come by these days. And the suspicion exists among critics that some speculation may be manipulation.

Certainly the huge increase in the number of stockholders is having its impact as well, for the latest figure of 24 million is four times the figure of 20 years ago.

However, it is difficult to believe that amateur or small-investor speculation has suddenly caused the enormous burst of activity.

American Exchange average daily volume for all of 1966 was 2.7 million shares. For 1967 volume averaged 4.5 million. For the first two weeks of the new year volume has jumped to 8 million shares.

Some skilled observers of the Wall Street scene believe that much of this activity is, instead, the result of professional speculation by pension and mutual funds, by trust accounts and by college endowments, among others.

Largest Road Program for State Unveiled

ST. LOUIS -- The largest highway construction program in the state's history was announced by the chief engineer of the Missouri State Highway Department.

Speaking at the 42d annual convention of the Associated General Contractors of Missouri, Chief Engineer M. J. Snider outlined a highway construction program of $170 million for 1968. This figure, he said, would exceed the record 1967 figure by $13 million.

In addition to being the largest spent for construction, Snider said, "The department hopes to have a total construction and right-of-way program of $194 million, which would equal our previous high recorded in 1964." Of this figure, $22 million is planned for right-of-way expenditures and $2 million for the 1968 road oiling program.

While the amount to be spent for construction will be substantially more than in 1967, the amount allocated for right-of-way purchases is expected to be down $2 million from the 1967 total, Snider said, noting that right-of-way acquisition in the urban areas was substantially complete.

In other areas of the highway program, Snider noted that Missouri is tied for third in the nation in the allocation of federal-aid highway funds. The state is tied for seventh in the allocation of interstate funds, Snider said. He added that only 373 miles of Missouri's 1,120 miles of interstate have not been placed under construction contract.

As of the first of the year, Snider continued, 635 miles of highway up to or near interstate standards are complete, 89 miles will be completed and in operation by Dec. 31 and 23 miles are under construction, with completion scheduled after 1968.

IT'S UP TO YOU

By Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.

GOD OR STATE?

Dr. S. A. Aluko, professor of economics at the University of Nigeria, was a delegate to the World Conference on Church and Society at its recent meeting in Geneva, Switzerland. He has made a very significant observation from which I quote:

"The time that a man knows that the state is capable of taking care of him from the cradle to the grave, state worship becomes easier to substitute for God worship."

This is a profound truth to which we have many times called attention, but we never have articulated it more succinctly, briefly and accurately than this statement by Professor Aluko. Welfare statism, or socialism, teaches men to forget God and, in effect, pray to the state. It is the devil in his most cunning disguise again seeking to supplant God. How subtle the appeal to help the needy by appropriating more and more public funds! How little noticed, the fact that this is in reality an appeal from Christian charity to the law and police power to dispossess some for the benefit of others. It is an appeal from God to Caesar. It is proof that many people no longer trust in God, and are no longer willing to do their Christian duty in aiding the unfortunate, but choose rather to engage in the business of re-distributing wealth. This they do with the thought that they will get more from others than they themselves must contribute. Little do they realize that the process will so retard the production of wealth that there will be much less for all concerned.

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BLOOMFIELD - Judge Koss W. Blomeyer heard these cases in magistrate court:

James Lee Willson, charged with driving while intoxicated, fined $100 plus costs and 30-day jail sentence suspended.

James Lee Willson, charged with driving without operator's license, passed to Feb. 8.

Betty Jo Wilson, charged with failure to yield right of way, accident, fined, $25 plus costs.

Jerry Hancock, charged with, nonsupport, bond forfeited, defendant to be taken into custody.

Norman R. Patterson, charged with driving while intoxicated, continued to Feb. 1.

Marion Stoll vs. Bill Martin, account, dismissed at cost of defendant.

Will Ray Bollinger, charged with armed robbery, Joe Wilborn appointed to represent defendant, bond set at $25,000, committed to jail.

Three Licenses to Marry Issued

BLOOMFIELD - Marriage licenses were issued by the recorder:

George W. Priest, Cape Girardeau, and Lorene Mary Behrle, Poplar Bluff.

Barry Lee Becking, Bernie, and Nancy Carolyn Miller, Dexter.

Barry Frank Scott, Flint, Mich., and Carolyn Elaine Clubb, Linden, Mich.

Woman Hurt in Fall at Church

DEXTER -- Mrs. Priscilla Thrower, 75, suffered a broken right shoulder and a cut above the right eye in a fall at the Essex Church of Christ Wednesday.

Mrs. Thrower said that she fell when she stepped off a short step she had not noticed.

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Lending encouragement as well as impact to this churning of stock, some Wall Street informants say, are registered representatives who speculate for their own accounts and encourage customers to do likewise.

A few other factors also may be involved: No matter what is said for the record, credit for speculating is pretty easy to come by these days. And the suspicion exists among critics that some speculation may be manipulation.

Certainly the huge increase in the number of stockholders is having its impact as well, for the latest figure of 24 million is four times the figure of 20 years ago.

However, it is difficult to believe that amateur or small-investor speculation has suddenly caused the enormous burst of activity.

American Exchange average daily volume for all of 1966 was 2.7 million shares. For 1967 volume averaged 4.5 million. For the first two weeks of the new year volume has jumped to 8 million shares.

Some skilled observers of the Wall Street scene believe that much of this activity is, instead, the result of professional speculation by pension and mutual funds, by trust accounts and by college endowments, among others.

Largest Road Program for State Unveiled

ST. LOUIS -- The largest highway construction program in the state's history was announced by the chief engineer of the Missouri State Highway Department.

Speaking at the 42d annual convention of the Associated General Contractors of Missouri, Chief Engineer M. J. Snider outlined a highway construction program of $170 million for 1968. This figure, he said, would exceed the record 1967 figure by $13 million.

In addition to being the largest spent for construction, Snider said, "The department hopes to have a total construction and right-of-way program of $194 million, which would equal our previous high recorded in 1964." Of this figure, $22 million is planned for right-of-way expenditures and $2 million for the 1968 road oiling program.

While the amount to be spent for construction will be substantially more than in 1967, the amount allocated for right-of-way purchases is expected to be down $2 million from the 1967 total, Snider said, noting that right-of-way acquisition in the urban areas was substantially complete.

In other areas of the highway program, Snider noted that Missouri is tied for third in the nation in the allocation of federal-aid highway funds. The state is tied for seventh in the allocation of interstate funds, Snider said. He added that only 373 miles of Missouri's 1,120 miles of interstate have not been placed under construction contract.

As of the first of the year, Snider continued, 635 miles of highway up to or near interstate standards are complete, 89 miles will be completed and in operation by Dec. 31 and 23 miles are under construction, with completion scheduled after 1968.

IT'S UP TO YOU

By Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.

GOD OR STATE?

Dr. S. A. Aluko, professor of economics at the University of Nigeria, was a delegate to the World Conference on Church and Society at its recent meeting in Geneva, Switzerland. He has made a very significant observation from which I quote:

"The time that a man knows that the state is capable of taking care of him from the cradle to the grave, state worship becomes easier to substitute for God worship."

This is a profound truth to which we have many times called attention, but we never have articulated it more succinctly, briefly and accurately than this statement by Professor Aluko. Welfare statism, or socialism, teaches men to forget God and, in effect, pray to the state. It is the devil in his most cunning disguise again seeking to supplant God. How subtle the appeal to help the needy by appropriating more and more public funds! How little noticed, the fact that this is in reality an appeal from Christian charity to the law and police power to dispossess some for the benefit of others. It is an appeal from God to Caesar. It is proof that many people no longer trust in God, and are no longer willing to do their Christian duty in aiding the unfortunate, but choose rather to engage in the business of re-distributing wealth. This they do with the thought that they will get more from others than they themselves must contribute. Little do they realize that the process will so retard the production of wealth that there will be much less for all concerned.

Three Fined for Driving Offenses

BLOOMFIELD - Judge Koss W. Blomeyer heard these cases in magistrate court:

James Lee Willson, charged with driving while intoxicated, fined $100 plus costs and 30-day jail sentence suspended.

James Lee Willson, charged with driving without operator's license, passed to Feb. 8.

Betty Jo Wilson, charged with failure to yield right of way, accident, fined, $25 plus costs.

Jerry Hancock, charged with, nonsupport, bond forfeited, defendant to be taken into custody.

Norman R. Patterson, charged with driving while intoxicated, continued to Feb. 1.

Marion Stoll vs. Bill Martin, account, dismissed at cost of defendant.

Will Ray Bollinger, charged with armed robbery, Joe Wilborn appointed to represent defendant, bond set at $25,000, committed to jail.

Three Licenses to Marry Issued

BLOOMFIELD - Marriage licenses were issued by the recorder:

George W. Priest, Cape Girardeau, and Lorene Mary Behrle, Poplar Bluff.

Barry Lee Becking, Bernie, and Nancy Carolyn Miller, Dexter.

Barry Frank Scott, Flint, Mich., and Carolyn Elaine Clubb, Linden, Mich.

Woman Hurt in Fall at Church

DEXTER -- Mrs. Priscilla Thrower, 75, suffered a broken right shoulder and a cut above the right eye in a fall at the Essex Church of Christ Wednesday.

Mrs. Thrower said that she fell when she stepped off a short step she had not noticed.

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States will have two years to meet these standards. However, the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to impose immediate Federal inspection on any intrastate plant processing meat dangerous to the public if a state fails to take appropriate action.

The Flammable Fabrics Amendments of 1967 establishes new standards to provide protection against the sale of highly flammable wearing apparel, blankets, bedding and interior furnishings. The Secretary of Commerce is authorized to issue flammability standards after investigation and hearings.

A National Commission on Product Safety was established under Public Law 90-146. This Commission will review the scope and adequacy of existing voluntary industry regulations and Federal, State and local laws for consumer protection against hazardous substances.

SOCIAL SECURITY

A 13 per cent across the board increase for the nearly 23 million Americans receiving Social Security payments was approved. The minimum payment was raised from $44 to $55. Increased benefits are to be first payable for the month of February, 1968.

To finance the benefits increase the wage base on which the Social Security tax is collected is raised from the first $6,600 to the first $7,800 of annual income, effective January 1, 1968. The tax rate remains at 4.4 per cent until 1969-1970 when it is raised to 4.8 per cent and gradually increases to 5.9 per cent in 1987. The maximum amount a worker paid into the Social Security fund in 1967 for Old Age and Disability Insurance and Health Insurance was $290.40. In 1968, the maximum rises to $343.20.

Other changes made by the Social Security Amendments of 1967 include: An increase from $1,500 to $1,680 in the amount of annual earnings a beneficiary under age 72 can have without having any benefits withheld. For earnings between $1,680 and $2,880, $1 in benefits will be withheld for each $2 in earnings.. Above $2,880 in earnings, $1 in benefits will be withheld for each $1 in earnings.

The Public Welfare provisions of the Social Security Amendments of 1967 initiate a new work and training program for adult members of families who are receiving Aid to Families with Dependent Children.

State welfare agencies would refer the appropriate adults to the work and training program operated by the Department of Labor. Workers will be guaranteed amounts at least equal to their welfare grants plus 20 per cent of their wages. Day care must be provided for the children of working mothers. The Federal Government will pay 80 per cent of the cost of training under the program and the states will pay 20 per cent.

In the Aid to Families with Dependent Children program, the Amendments provide that for purposes of Federal matching, the proportion of all children under age 18 who are receiving AFDC payments on the basis of a parent's absence from the home in each state as of January 1, 1968, cannot be exceeded after June 30, 1968.

The authorizations for child welfare services and for child health programs were increased substantially for fiscal year 1969. Six percent of the $250 million authorized for child health programs was earmarked for family planning services.

POSTAL RATES AND FEDERAL SALARIES

To offset increased mail costs and pay increases for postal employees, new postal rates will raise an estimated additional $900 million annually for the Post Office Department which processes as much as the rest of the world combined. First class letters now cost 6 cents to mail; postcards, 5 cents; airmail letters, 10 cents.

There will be a 23 per cent increase over a 3-year period for second class mail rates for magazines and newspapers.

It is estimated that the substantial increase approved for third class mail rates would produce additional revenue of about $250 million.

The Postal Revenue Act also contained salary increases of about 4.5 per cent for government employees and 6 per cent for postal employees.

ANTI-POVERTY AND URBAN AFFAIRS

Late in the session, Congress approved extension of the anti-poverty programs, authorizing appropriations of $1.98 billion in fiscal 1968 and $2.18 billion in fiscal 1969. The Economic Opportunity Act Amendments of 1967 also made a controversial modification of Community Action programs. Local governments are authorized to assume administrative power over community action programs no later than February 1, 1969.

A modest increase of $10 million in contract authority was approved for the Rent Supplements program which provides assistance in rental payments for low-income families.

Initial funding of $312 million was provided for the model Cities program which seeks to rebuild and rehabilitate entire neighborhoods of cities.

OTHER LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS

The Food Stamp program was extended for two years. Appropriated for 1968 was $185 million for this program which enables needy persons to increase their grocery buying power.

The Age Discrimination in Employment act of 1967 sets out Federal policy to promote hiring without discrimination on the basis of age. The act proscribes turning down qualified persons, between 40 and 65 years of age, on the basis of their age.

A five-year extension for the Civil Rights Commission, created in 1957, was approved.

The Veterans Pension and Readjustment Assistance Act of 1967 provides increased educational allowances and new training programs for veterans attending school under the Cold War G.I. bill. The Act afforded an average 5.4 per cent cost-of-living increase in pensions for veterans and their dependents and expanded medical benefits. Full wartime disability rates and pensions are to be paid to veterans of the Vietnam war.

Down Memory Lane

RALPH ANDERSON

My head is always in a whirl,
The truth is, I love all the girls.
It's a difficult question to decide,
Some one help me choose a bride.

WADE NORRID

The Real Estate business is my game,
In this have won great fame.
To pretty girls I like to sing,
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Federal participation in this program to assist medically indigent families to obtain necessary medical attention was limited commencing in 1970 to persons with earning of one third the ceiling of the state's income standard for assistance under the program of aid to families with dependent children.

CONSUMER PROTECTION

The Federal Meat Inspection Act of 1967 requires states to make their meat inspection standards for intrastate plants at least equal to those of the Federal government for interstate meat packing plants.

States will have two years to meet these standards. However, the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to impose immediate Federal inspection on any intrastate plant processing meat dangerous to the public if a state fails to take appropriate action.

The Flammable Fabrics Amendments of 1967 establishes new standards to provide protection against the sale of highly flammable wearing apparel, blankets, bedding and interior furnishings. The Secretary of Commerce is authorized to issue flammability standards after investigation and hearings.

A National Commission on Product Safety was established under Public Law 90-146. This Commission will review the scope and adequacy of existing voluntary industry regulations and Federal, State and local laws for consumer protection against hazardous substances.

SOCIAL SECURITY

A 13 per cent across the board increase for the nearly 23 million Americans receiving Social Security payments was approved. The minimum payment was raised from $44 to $55. Increased benefits are to be first payable for the month of February, 1968.

To finance the benefits increase the wage base on which the Social Security tax is collected is raised from the first $6,600 to the first $7,800 of annual income, effective January 1, 1968. The tax rate remains at 4.4 per cent until 1969-1970 when it is raised to 4.8 per cent and gradually increases to 5.9 per cent in 1987. The maximum amount a worker paid into the Social Security fund in 1967 for Old Age and Disability Insurance and Health Insurance was $290.40. In 1968, the maximum rises to $343.20.

Other changes made by the Social Security Amendments of 1967 include: An increase from $1,500 to $1,680 in the amount of annual earnings a beneficiary under age 72 can have without having any benefits withheld. For earnings between $1,680 and $2,880, $1 in benefits will be withheld for each $2 in earnings.. Above $2,880 in earnings, $1 in benefits will be withheld for each $1 in earnings.

The Public Welfare provisions of the Social Security Amendments of 1967 initiate a new work and training program for adult members of families who are receiving Aid to Families with Dependent Children.

State welfare agencies would refer the appropriate adults to the work and training program operated by the Department of Labor. Workers will be guaranteed amounts at least equal to their welfare grants plus 20 per cent of their wages. Day care must be provided for the children of working mothers. The Federal Government will pay 80 per cent of the cost of training under the program and the states will pay 20 per cent.

In the Aid to Families with Dependent Children program, the Amendments provide that for purposes of Federal matching, the proportion of all children under age 18 who are receiving AFDC payments on the basis of a parent's absence from the home in each state as of January 1, 1968, cannot be exceeded after June 30, 1968.

The authorizations for child welfare services and for child health programs were increased substantially for fiscal year 1969. Six percent of the $250 million authorized for child health programs was earmarked for family planning services.

POSTAL RATES AND FEDERAL SALARIES

To offset increased mail costs and pay increases for postal employees, new postal rates will raise an estimated additional $900 million annually for the Post Office Department which processes as much as the rest of the world combined. First class letters now cost 6 cents to mail; postcards, 5 cents; airmail letters, 10 cents.

There will be a 23 per cent increase over a 3-year period for second class mail rates for magazines and newspapers.

It is estimated that the substantial increase approved for third class mail rates would produce additional revenue of about $250 million.

The Postal Revenue Act also contained salary increases of about 4.5 per cent for government employees and 6 per cent for postal employees.

ANTI-POVERTY AND URBAN AFFAIRS

Late in the session, Congress approved extension of the anti-poverty programs, authorizing appropriations of $1.98 billion in fiscal 1968 and $2.18 billion in fiscal 1969. The Economic Opportunity Act Amendments of 1967 also made a controversial modification of Community Action programs. Local governments are authorized to assume administrative power over community action programs no later than February 1, 1969.

A modest increase of $10 million in contract authority was approved for the Rent Supplements program which provides assistance in rental payments for low-income families.

Initial funding of $312 million was provided for the model Cities program which seeks to rebuild and rehabilitate entire neighborhoods of cities.

OTHER LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS

The Food Stamp program was extended for two years. Appropriated for 1968 was $185 million for this program which enables needy persons to increase their grocery buying power.

The Age Discrimination in Employment act of 1967 sets out Federal policy to promote hiring without discrimination on the basis of age. The act proscribes turning down qualified persons, between 40 and 65 years of age, on the basis of their age.

A five-year extension for the Civil Rights Commission, created in 1957, was approved.

The Veterans Pension and Readjustment Assistance Act of 1967 provides increased educational allowances and new training programs for veterans attending school under the Cold War G.I. bill. The Act afforded an average 5.4 per cent cost-of-living increase in pensions for veterans and their dependents and expanded medical benefits. Full wartime disability rates and pensions are to be paid to veterans of the Vietnam war.

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10	:00 CAMERA THREE :30 THE ANSWER	:00 This is the Life :30 The Answer	:00 Bullwinkle :30 Discovery
11	:00 THIS IS THE LIFE :30 FACE THE NATION	:00 Popeye :30 Insight	:00 All Am Football :30 Educational Film
12	:00 YOU ASKED FOR IT :30 FILM - COLOR :45 THE HUNTER	:00 Meet the Press :30 Catholic Hour	:00 Directions :30 Issues & Answers
1	:00 NHL GAME OF WEEK - (DETROIT AT MINNESOTA)	:00 Weekend at the Movies "Not As a Stranger" Robert Mitchum-Olivia de Havilland	:00 NBA Basketball Phil. vs. Boston
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3	:30 YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERT	:00 Great Music & 100 Paintings :30 Los Angeles Open	:30 Am Sportsman
4	:30 AMATEUR HOUR	:00 Animal Secrets - :30 Frank McGee Report	:00 Allen Revival Hour :30 Pro Bowlers Tour (C)
5	:00 TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY :30 SUN. AFTERNOON NEWS	:00 G-E College Bowl :30 Flipper - c	"
6	:00 LASSIE :30 GENTLE BEN	:00 Wild Kingdom :30 Walt Disney's World of Color	:00 Voyage to Sea
7	:00 ED SULLIVAN SHOW	:30 The Mothers-in-law	:00 THE FBI
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Malaspina Glacier, in Alaska, is larger than the state of Rhode Island.

Gannets sometimes plunge 50 feet below the water surface to catch fish.

Ad Leader Leery of Restraints

NEW YORK (AP) — The event at which Howard H. Bell assumes the presidency of the American Advertising Federation will be next week's 10th annual conference on advertising-government relations. This is significant.

Government today rates high in advertiser attention.

"This is a critical time for advertising," Bell said in an interview. "There is a massive consumer movement under way."

"I am not an apologist for what is wrong in advertising," he continued, "but an awful lot of undue legislation is being proposed that would restrict advertising."

The 40,000 advertising people whom Bell will represent have always prided themselves on knowing where the pitch should be made. And so Bell will make his office in Washington and "commute" to the Madison Avenue office here.

That Bell is a lawyer also, and that "he knows how to work effectively with government people in a climate of mutual respect," as the federation puts it, indicates the concern with which the consumer movement is being treated.

Bell, an intense but pleasantly low-key individual, 41-year-old father of three, feels that government should not exploit the popular label of consumerism but concedes, "I think we'll see more and more attempts to restrain ads."

As do most leaders of industries, he believes strongly in a policy of self-regulation. He emphasizes continually the need for good taste, believing that most criticism is not about truth but "in the area of taste, the approach."

"If tasteless advertising becomes an outright and widespread abuse then it should not be defended," he said.

Seldom, however, are the issues clear cut. Advertising is a subtle area where "a certain amount of license is the price of freedom," Bell feels. "How do you control advertising without infringing on its creativity?" he asks.

The AAF has no enforcement powers, but instead believes it can use moral persuasion to enforce high standards through local businessmen, Better Business Bureaus and its members in 173 clubs, 700 companies, 25 other groups.

In executing his job, Bell feels he must strive toward these goals:

— Maintenance and preservation of the freedom of advertising and business.

— Development of programs that will enhance professionalism, mainly through self-regulation.

— Cultivation of a unified voice in industry matters.

— Education in the role and function of advertising.

In the important role of dealing with government, Bell is confident. "How do you assess government people?" he was asked.

"They're very easy to work with. That's been one of the problems in the past: lack of communication. They're the most rational people. They have no horns."

The Prayer
from The Upper Room

"In him we live and move and have our being." (Acts 17:28, RSV)

PRAYER: Our Father, we pray for a deeper indwelling of Thyself in us. May we not live selfishly but let Thee so dwell within us that Thy sweetness and gentleness shall influence the people around us. May the perfume of Thy love draw all men to a complete surrender of themselves. We pray in Christ's name. Amen.

MRS. A. M. STOUT, 411 Fletcher, won a game table given away by the Crenshaw Distributing Company. Maurice Armstrong, manager of the discount annex, stands at right.

Looking Back

Margaret Harris Absent from School

50 years ago
January 26, 1918

Miss Margaret Harris on the sick list this week and has been absent from her work in the grammar school.

Route one - R. M. Johnson has a new Overland car.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. Edwards, January 18th, a son.

40 years ago
January 26, 1928

Slight damage was done to the Sikeston grade school building and to a number of smaller buildings Tuesday morning when an unusual winter wind swept over this district. A coupola was damaged at the school building and a window in the room used by Miss Smith was shattered by the wind. The wind caused Mrs. Eva Culbertson, who resides north of Sikeston to sustain a broken arm. She was attempting to close a door of the home when it was suddenly throun back against her, knocking her down and fracturing her arm near the wrist.

A small truck carrying 22 people were partially wrecked last night when it ran into the side of a moving freight train at the Salcedo road, a mile north of Sikeston on the main line of the railroad company.

Members of the cast which is presenting "Womanless Wedding" are relaxing today in an effort to be at their best for the final presentation at the Malone Theatre tonight. More than 400 saw the play last night and hugely enjoyed the anties of the Sikeston "men and misses." Tom Allen, who was to have been the bride, left town, and Clarence Scott is that contracting party, with John Malone as the bridegroom. They presented a strikingly happy pair.

30 years ago
January 26, 1938

Another home featured in the January 25th issue was that of Mr. and Mrs. Tanner Dye on Greer street. This residence has been remodeled into a modern stucco house, containing seven rooms and two baths.

More than 120 farm people attended the fourth annual stockholders' meeting of the Sikeston Production Credit Association held at the Marshall Hotel Tuesday. At the annual election held during the session, association members elected L. M. Stallcup of Sikeston as director for a three-year term.

With excavation 40 per cent complete on the armory project, WPA Supervisor Leon Groves believes concrete may be poured for the basement during the next work period, beginning February 1, if weather conditions permit.

Sikeston will play host to one of three basketball tournaments in Southeast Missouri on March 3, 4, and 5, it was announced by Carl Burrus, secretary of the Missouri State High School Athletic Association at Columbia. High schools which will send teamsto Sikeston are at Anniston, Bernie, Canalou, Dexter, Diehlstadt, Doniphan, Fornfelt, Illmo, Kewanee, Marston, Matthews, Morhouse, Morley, New Madrid, Parma, Poplar Bluff, and Sikeston.

20 years ago
January 26, 1948

Morehouse -- Mr. Hargrove has purchased the home of Arthur Shipman.

Hospital notes -- Two daughters were born at the hospital on the 23rd. The parents are: Mr. and Mrs. Bud Curtiss of Bell City and Mr. and Mrs. John Delk of Bertrand. Three babies, one boy and two girls, were born on January 25th. Mr. and Mrs. John Mick of Charter Oak became parents of a son and daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Therman Moriarty of East Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Wyatt of Sikeston. A daughter was born on January 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cope of Charleston.

J. F. McGinnis, retired contractor, born in South Central Missouri on December 27, 1868, died Sunday night at his home in Smith Addition at Sikeston.

Ann Landers

Boy Born in His Father's Automobile Counseled to Maintain His Cool

Dear Ann Landers: I am a boy 11 years old whose nickname is "chevvie" because I was born in my father's Chevrolet.

All my friends were born in a hospital. How come my mother let me get born in my father's car?

I have asked my mother a dozen times to please explain this to me but she always says: "Not now. Later."

I know how babies get here, Ann Landers, so please don't tell me I was a surprise. My mother knew I was coming. My father is always yelling at her because she is so slow. Why wasn't she in the hospital where she should have been? -- ASKER OF QUESTIONS

Dear Asker: Don't blame your mother for being 'slow'. Maybe you were fast. Some babies give more warning than others.

One of these days you will find out what sort of a world this is and you'll ask yourself what was the hurry.

Dear Ann Landers: The girl I go with is great, but Sheila has one fault that really bugs me - she smokes like a chimney. This girl coughs all the time and she smells like the poker room in the Elks Club. What's more she has burned holes in two of my suits.

Last week Sheila nearly set fire to the sleeve of my winter coat.

I have never asked her to stop smoking but she knows I would be very happy if she did.

The other evening Sheila gave me a 30-minute lecture because she ran out of cigarettes and I wouldn't get into the car and drive three miles to buy her a package. She said I had a lot to learn about chivalry.

Is a gentleman expected to keep his lady supplied with those lousy cofin nails? -- JESS ASKIN'

Dear Jess: If a lady chooses to stay hooked on a habit that might shorten her life it's her business. But she should not expect her gentleman friend to buy her cigarettes.

Dear Ann Landers: I hope you can print some advice before somebody gets killed.

My sister is married to a man who has a wild temper. When he gets mad, which is often, he behaves like a maniac. He has socked her around, choked her, thrown her across the floor and knocked out her teeth. His two brothers treat their wives exactly the same way.

All three of these women have divorced their husbands and remarried them. (One couple divorced twice and now they are living together.)

I'm afraid one of these days my sister is going to end up a murder victim. How do I get the message across to her before it's too late? --D.C.R.

Dear D.C.R.: Any woman who stays with a man who socks her around, chokes her, throws her on the floor and knocks out her teeth has got to be as sick as he is. If your sister wanted out of the situation she would get out. Women who feel an overwhelming sense of guilt for reasons real or imagined unconsciously seek punishment and they often marry brutal males who will provide it.

Confidential to A Boob from Boston: People are judged not only by what they stand for, but what they fall for. Fooled once, shame on her. Fooled twice, shame on you.

If you have trouble getting along with your parents . . . if you can't get them to let you live your own life, send for Ann Landers' booklet, "Bugged By Parents? How to Get More Freedom." Send 50¢ in coin with your request and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

If You Were The Judge

Baseball Fans Are Entitled to Protection

When a looping foul ball dropped into Grandma Bess's bo: at a baseball game, a horde of enthusiastic fans threw caution to the wind, and poor Grandma Bess to the ground, as they scrambled wildly after the souvenir.

Buried under the mob, Grandma Bess wasn't seen again until the crowd of fans finally emptied out of her box. Wobbling unsteadily to her feet, she sued the owner of the ball park for her foul treatment.

"When a person goes to a baseball game," she complained in court, "he's entitled to protection from other fans. Instead of making sure no harm came to me, the ushers were busy making sure no harm came to the playing field. I went to a double header and arrived home feeling like I had two heads."

"Scrambling for a foul ball," responded the owner of the ball park, "is a normal occurrence at a ball game. If a fan gets hurt, it's risk he assumes when he buys a ticket."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the ball park owner pay for Grandma Bess's being battered around?

This is how the judge ruled: Yes! The judge held that a patron at a baseball game does not assume the risk of injury from extreme roughhouse tactics of fans scrambling for a ball. On the contrary, a patron may assume that the ball park owner has fulfilled his obligation to take precautions to curb such rowdiness. Instead of stationing ushers to protect the playing field, concluded the judge, they should have been stationed to protect fans.

(Based upon a 1958 Wisconsin Supreme Court Decision)

ARMED FORCES

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Polo is said to have originated in Gilgit, a Himalayan state

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8		:00 Paducah Devotion	:30 Million Monster
9	:00 LAMP UNTO MY FEET :30 LOOK UP & LIVE	:15 Hamilton Bros. :30 Herald of Truth	:00 Linus-Lionhearted :30 Bugs Bunny (C)
10	:00 CAMERA THREE :30 THE ANSWER	:00 This is the Life :30 The Answer	:00 Bullwinkle :30 Discovery
11	:00 THIS IS THE LIFE :30 FACE THE NATION	:00 Popeye :30 Insight	:00 All Am Football :30 Educational Film
12	:00 YOU ASKED FOR IT :30 FILM - COLOR :45 THE HUNTER	:00 Meet the Press :30 Catholic Hour	:00 Directions :30 Issues & Answers
1	:00 NHL GAME OF WEEK - - (DETROIT AT MINNESOTA)	:00 Weekend at the Movies "Not As a Stranger" Robert Mitchum-Olivia de Havilland	:00 NBA Basketball Phil. vs. Boston
2	"	"	"
3	:30 YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERT	:00 Great Music & 100 Paintings :30 Los Angeles Open	:30 Am Sportsman
4	:30 AMATEUR HOUR	:00 Animal Secrets - :30 Frank McGee Report	:00 Allen Revival Hour :30 Pro Bowlers Tour (C)
5	:00 TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY :30 SUN. AFTERNOON NEWS	:00 G-E College Bowl :30 Flipper - c	"
6	:00 LASSIE :30 GENTLE BEN	:00 Wild Kingdom :30 Walt Disney's World of Color	:30 Voyage to Sea
7	:00 ED SULLIVAN SHOW	:30 The Mothers-in-law	:00 THE FBI
8	:00 SMOTHERS BROTHERS SHOW	:00 Bonanza	:00 Sunday Night Movie Ship of Fools
9	:00 MISSION IMPOSSIBLE	:00 High Chaparral	"
10	:00 CBS SUNDAY NEWS - COLOR :15 SUNDAY NIGHT NEWS & WEATHER :30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (A MAN'S CASTLE-SPENCER TRACY & LORETTA YOUNG)	:00 News, Weather, Sports :30 Weekend at the Movies "Born to be Loved" Carol Morris - Dick Kallman	:30 Weekend News :45 Sunday Late Movie Black Widow
11	"	"	"
12	:30 THE LIVING WORD		:00 Sign Off

Malaspina Glacier, in Alaska, is larger than the state of Rhode Island.

Gannets sometimes plunge 50 feet below the water surface to catch fish.

Ad Leader Leery of Restraints

NEW YORK (AP) — The event at which Howard H. Bell assumes the presidency of the American Advertising Federation will be next week's 10th annual conference on advertising-government relations. This is significant.

Government today rates high in advertiser attention.

"This is a critical time for advertising," Bell said in an interview. "There is a massive consumer movement under way."

"I am not an apologist for what is wrong in advertising," he continued, "but an awful lot of undue legislation is being proposed that would restrict advertising."

The 40,000 advertising people whom Bell will represent have always prided themselves on knowing where the pitch should be made. And so Bell will make his office in Washington and "commute" to the Madison Avenue office here.

That Bell is a lawyer also, and that "he knows how to work effectively with government people in a climate of mutual respect," as the federation puts it, indicates the concern with which the consumer movement is being treated.

Bell, an intense but pleasantly low-key individual, 41-year-old father of three, feels that government should not exploit the popular label of consumerism but concedes, "I think we'll see more and more attempts to restrain ads."

As do most leaders of industries, he believes strongly in a policy of self-regulation. He emphasizes continually the need for good taste, believing that most criticism is not about truth but "in the area of taste, the approach."

"If tasteless advertising becomes an outright and widespread abuse then it should not be defended," he said.

Seldom, however, are the issues clear cut. Advertising is a subtle area where "a certain amount of license is the price of freedom," Bell feels. "How do you control advertising without infringing on its creativity?" he asks.

The AAF has no enforcement powers, but instead believes it can use moral persuasion to enforce high standards through local businessmen, Better Business Bureaus and its members in 173 clubs, 700 companies, 25 other groups.

In executing his job, Bell feels he must strive toward these goals:

— Maintenance and preservation of the freedom of advertising and business.

— Development of programs that will enhance professionalism, mainly through self-regulation.

— Cultivation of a unified voice in industry matters.

— Education in the role and function of advertising.

In the important role of dealing with government, Bell is confident. "How do you assess government people?" he was asked.

"They're very easy to work with. That's been one of the problems in the past: lack of communication. They're the most rational people. They have no horns."

The Prayer *from The Upper Room*

"In him we live and move and have our being." (Acts 17:28, RSV)

PRAYER: Our Father, we pray for a deeper indwelling of Thyself in us. May we not live selfishly but let Thee so dwell within us that Thy sweetness and gentleness shall influence the people around us. May the perfume of Thy love draw all men to a complete surrender of themselves. We pray in Christ's name. Amen.

MRS. A. M. STOUT, 411 Fletcher, won a game table given away by the Crenshaw Distributing Company. Maurice Armstrong, manager of the discount annex, stands at right.

Looking Back

Margaret Harris Absent from School

50 years ago
January 26, 1918

Miss Margaret Harris on the sick list this week and has been absent from her work in the grammar school.

Route one - R. M. Johnson has a new Overland car.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. Edwards, January 18th, a son.

40 years ago
January 26, 1928

Slight damage was done to the Sikeston grade school building and to a number of smaller buildings Tuesday morning when an unusual winter wind swept over this district. A coupola was damaged at the school building and a window in the room used by Miss Smith was shattered by the wind. The wind caused Mrs. Eva Culbertson, who resides north of Sikeston to sustain a broken arm. She was attempting to close a door of the home when it was suddenly throun back against her, knocking her down and fracturing her arm near the wrist.

A small truck carrying 22 people were partially wrecked last night when it ran into the side of a moving freight train at the Salcedo road, a mile north of Sikeston on the main line of the railroad company.

Members of the cast which is presenting "Womanless Wedding" are relaxing today in an effort to be at their best for the final presentation at the Malone Theatre tonight. More than 400 saw the play last night and hugely enjoyed the anties of the Sikeston "men and misses." Tom Allen, who was to have been the bride, left town, and Clarence Scott is that contracting party, with John Malone as the bridegroom. They presented a strikingly happy pair.

30 years ago
January 26, 1938

Another home featured in the January 25th issue was that of Mr. and Mrs. Tanner Dye on Greer street. This residence has been remodeled into a modern stucco house, containing seven rooms and two baths.

More than 120 farm people attended the fourth annual stockholders' meeting of the Sikeston Production Credit Association held at the Marshall Hotel Tuesday. At the annual election held during the session, association members elected L. M. Stallcup of Sikeston as director for a three-year term.

With excavation 40 per cent complete on the armory project, WPA Supervisor Leon Groves believes concrete may be poured for the basement during the next work period, beginning February 1, if weather conditions permit.

Sikeston will play host to one of three basketball tournaments in Southeast Missouri on March 3, 4, and 5, it was announced by Carl Burrus, secretary of the Missouri State High School Athletic Association at Columbia. High schools which will send teams to Sikeston are at Anniston, Bernie, Canalou, Dexter, Diehlstadt, Doniphan, Fornfelt, Ilmo, Kewanee, Marston, Matthews, Morhouse, Morley, New Madrid, Parma, Poplar Bluff, and Sikeston.

20 years ago
January 26, 1948

Morehouse -- Mr. Hargrove has purchased the home of Arthur Shipman.

Hospital notes -- Two daughters were born at the hospital on the 23rd. The parents are: Mr. and Mrs. Bud Curtiss of Bell City and Mr. and Mrs. John Delk of Bertrand. Three babies, one boy and two girls, were born on January 25th. Mr. and Mrs. John Mick of Charter Oak became parents of a son and daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Therman Moriarty of East Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Wyatt of Sikeston. A daughter was born on January 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cope of Charleston.

J. F. McGinnis, retired contractor, born in South Central Missouri on December 27, 1868, died Sunday night at his home in Smith Addition at Sikeston.

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Ann Landers

Boy Born in His Father's Automobile Counseled to Maintain His Cool

Dear Ann Landers: I am a boy 11 years old whose nickname is "chevvie" because I was born in my father's Chevrolet.

All my friends were born in a hospital. How come my mother let me get born in my father's car?

I have asked my mother a dozen times to please explain this to me but she always says: "Not now. Later."

I know how babies get here, Ann Landers, so please don't tell me I was a surprise. My mother knew I was coming. My father is always yelling at her because she is so slow. Why wasn't she in the hospital where she should have been? -- ASKER OF QUESTIONS

Dear Asker: Don't blame your mother for being 'slow'. Maybe you were fast. Some babies give more warning than others.

One of these days you will find out what sort of a world this is and you'll ask yourself what was the hurry.

Dear Ann Landers: The girl I go with is great, but Sheila has one fault that really bugs me - she smokes like a chimney. This girl coughs all the time and she smells like the poker room in the Elks Club. What's more she has burned holes in two of my suits.

Last week Sheila nearly set fire to the sleeve of my winter coat.

I have never asked her to stop smoking but she knows I would be very happy if she did.

The other evening Sheila gave me a 30-minute lecture because she ran out of cigarettes and I wouldn't get into the car and drive three miles to buy her a package. She said I had a lot to learn about chivalry.

Is a gentleman expected to keep his lady supplied with those lousy cofin nails? -- JESS ASKIN'

Dear Jess: If a lady chooses to stay hooked on a habit that might shorten her life it's her business. But she should not expect her gentleman friend to buy her cigarettes.

Dear Ann Landers: I hope you can print some advice before somebody gets killed.

My sister is married to a man who has a wild temper. When he gets mad, which is often, he behaves like a maniac. He has socked her around, choked her, thrown her across the floor and knocked out her teeth. His two brothers treat their wives exactly the same way.

All three of these women have divorced their husbands and remarried them. (One couple divorced twice and now they are living together.)

I'm afraid one of these days my sister is going to end up a murder victim. How do I get the message across to her before it's too late? --D.C.R.

Dear D.C.R.: Any woman who stays with a man who socks her around, chokes her, throws her on the floor and knocks out her teeth has got to be as sick as he is. If your sister wanted out of the situation she would get out. Women who feel an overwhelming sense of guilt for reasons real or imagined unconsciously seek punishment and they often marry brutal males who will provide it.

Confidential to A Boob from Boston: People are judged not only by what they stand for, but what they fall for. Fooled once, shame on her. Fooled twice, shame on you.

If you have trouble getting along with your parents . . . if you can't get them to let you live your own life, send for Ann Landers' booklet, "Bugged By Parents? How to Get More Freedom." Send 50¢ in coin with your request and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

If You Were The Judge

Baseball Fans Are Entitled to Protection

When a looping foul ball dropped into Grandma Bess's box at a baseball game, a horde of enthusiastic fans threw caution to the wind, and poor Grandma Bess to the ground, as they scrambled wildly after the souvenir.

Buried under the mob, Grandma Bess wasn't seen again until the crowd of fans finally emptied out of her box. Wobbling unsteadily to her feet, she sued the owner of the ball park for her foul treatment.

"When a person goes to a baseball game," she complained in court, "he's entitled to protection from other fans. Instead of making sure no harm came to me, the ushers were busy making sure no harm came to the playing field. I went to a double header and arrived home feeling like I had two heads."

"Scrambling for a foul ball," responded the owner of the ball park, "is a normal occurrence at a ball game. If a fan gets hurt, it's risk he assumes when he buys a ticket."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the ball park owner pay for Grandma Bess's being battered around?

This is how the judge ruled: Yes! The judge held that a patron at a baseball game does not assume the risk of injury from extreme roughhouse tactics of fans scrambling for a ball. On the contrary, a patron may assume that the ball park owner has fulfilled his obligation to take precautions to curb such rowdiness. Instead of stationing ushers to protect the playing field, concluded the judge, they should have been stationed to protect fans.

(Based upon a 1958 Wisconsin Supreme Court Decision)

ARMED FORCES

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Spec. Scruggs is a radar intellegence specialist assigned to Headquarters Company, 3rd Battalion of the division's 51st Infantry near Erlangen, Germany.

HOHENFELS, Germany --- Army Specialist Four Edwin J. Trankler, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Trankler, route 1, Oran, Mo., began a month of intensive field training Jan. 3 with the 4th Armored Division near Hohenfels, Germany.

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Polo is said to have originated in Gilgit, a Himalayan state

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3 Fine	33 Abounds	63 Comes
4 Avoid	34 Beware	64 Bearing
5 The	35 Pop	65 A
6 You	36 Of	66 On
7 Time	37 And	67 Small
8 For	38 Strange	68 Wing
9 Take	39 Of	69 Gifts
10 To	40 Places	70 Your
11 Need	41 Some	71 Present
12 A	42 Your	72 Attention
13 Love	43 Or	73 Or
14 Extremes	44 Mental	74 Your
15 Circulate	45 Drink	75 Ideas
16 Or	46 Rude	76 And
17 Good	47 With	77 Message
18 Sweep	48 Small	78 And
19 The	49 Uncouth	79 Anew
20 New	50 People	80 Outside
21 Cosmetics	51 Everyday	81 Interest
22 Care	52 Start	82 Spirited
23 Money	53 Ornaments	83 Asking
24 Decks	54 Expressing	84 Physical
25 In	55 Chores	85 Friends
26 Clothes	56 Laughter	86 Today
27 News	57 Late	87 The
28 For	58 Love	88 Favors
29 Hobby	59 Someone	89 Health
30 Food	60 High-	90 Question

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Good · Adverse · Neutral 1/27

Big Items

ACROSS
1 Big —— (tigers, lions, etc.)
5 Big ——, California
8 Big —— (London clock)
11 Ability to act
12 Brazilian wallaba
13 —— Marie Saint
14 Papal garment
15 Basic color
16 Bulgarian coin
17 Pointed missile weapon
18 Clergy
20 Part of a garment
22 Daylight saving time (ab.)
23 Food serving gadget
25 Big —— (jail, slang)
29 Turkish title
32 Enough (archaic)
34 Implore
35 Solemn pledges
37 "Emerald Isle"
39 Cyprinoid fish
40 Extemporize (coll.)
42 Require
44 Social beginner (coll.)
46 Dawdle
50 Postponed
54 Evergreen tree
55 Raw metal
56 Beverage
57 Frugal
58 Prime number
59 Possessed
60 Biblical king
61 Soak hemp
62 Public notices
63 Soviet lake

DOWN
1 Himalayan chamois
2 Cognizant
3 Dissolved
4 Before
5 Hindu garment
6 Set on end
7 Salad ingredient
8 Encircling strip
9 Always
10 Nation's sea force
11 Seed containers
18 Middle (law)
19 Halt
21 Contend
24 Big —— (western river)
26 Swiss canton
27 Dejected
28 Hurricane center
29 Hawaiian pepper
30 Deity
31 Shoemaker's tool
33 Exercise power
36 Lateral part
38 New (comb. form)
41 Big —— (large cannon)
43 Big —— (group of stars)
45 Staple food
47 Papal crown
48 Enlist
49 Bamboolike grass
50 Entranceway
51 Sea eagle
52 Pedal extremities
53 Diving bell inventor
57 Asian sheep

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Friday, Jan. 26, the 26th day of 1968. There are 340 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1942, U.S. troops landed in northern Ireland. It was the first American Expeditionary Force to arrive in Europe in World War II.

On this date:

In 1679, the keel of the first commercial ship on the Great Lakes, "Le Griffon," was laid.

In 1837, Michigan joined the Union as the 26th state.

In 1861, Louisiana seceded from the United States.

In 1880, the late Gen. Douglas MacArthur was born.

In 1944, the World War II battle for the Anzio beachhead was raging in Italy.

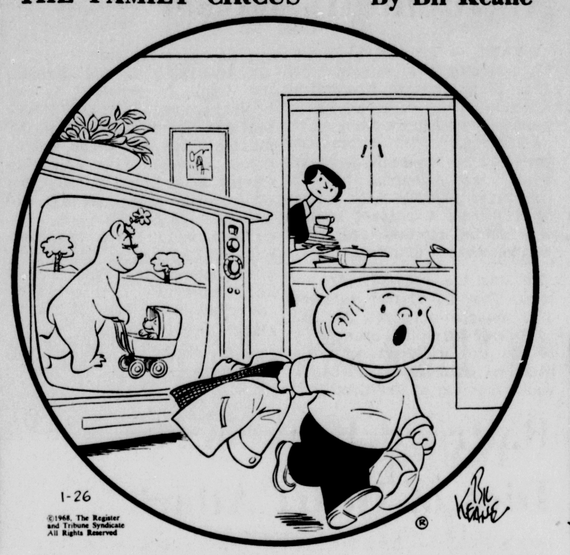
In 1952, mobs in Cairo, Egypt, destroyed American, British and French property and burned the famous Shepheard's Hotel.

Ten years ago — The Soviet Union said Western bases around that country would have to be liquidated before there could be talks about ending production of intercontinental missiles.

Five years ago — Communist China said it would have nuclear weapons in the not too distant future.

One year ago— President Lyndon B. Johnson dropped his 3.2 per cent guidepost for wage increases.

THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



"Mommy, will you finish watching this cartoon for me and tell me how it ends? I have to go out and play now."

TIZZY by Kate Osann

"Promise you won't tell anyone. I USE HAND LOTION ON MY FEET!"

SIDE GLANCES By Gill Fox

"I do not recommend spanking, Madam. However, a palm-to-posterior approach to certain behavioral problems sometimes produces good results!"

CARNIVAL By Dick Turner

"I suppose you know he'll never again believe your war story about leading your squad safely through a heavily mined field!"

THE RYATTS

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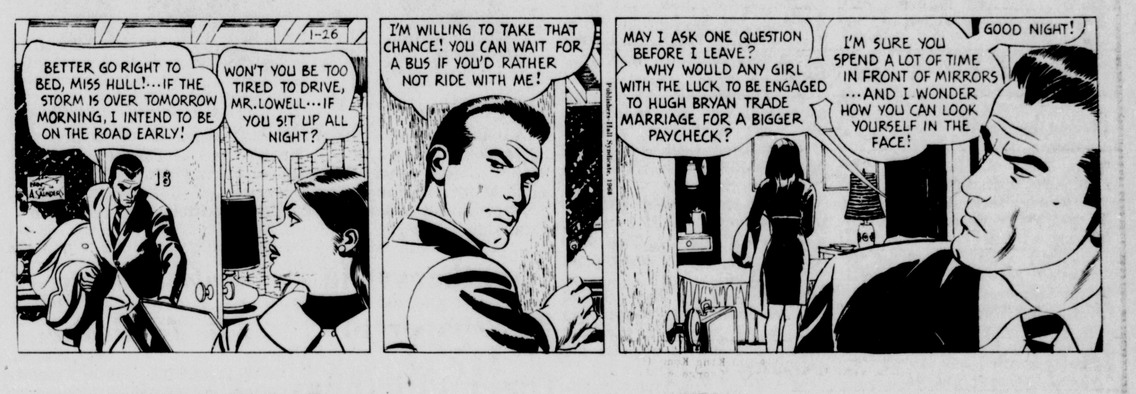
MARY WORTH by Saunders & Ernst



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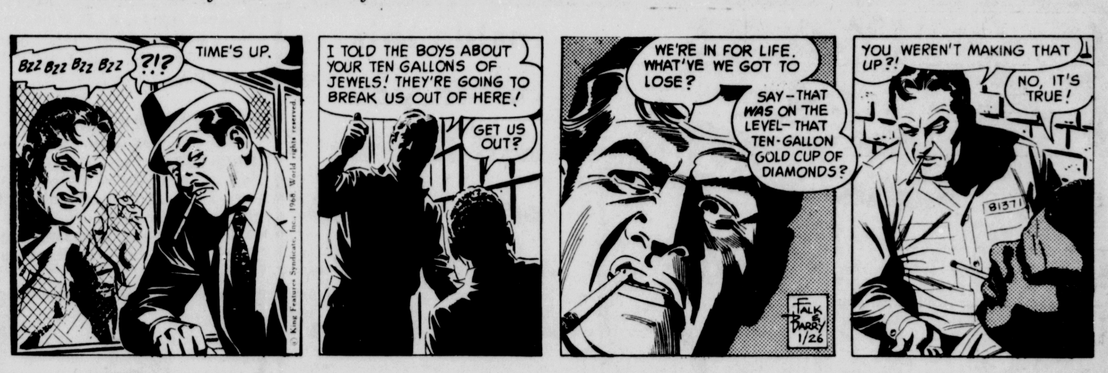

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BEETLE BAILEY by Mort Walker

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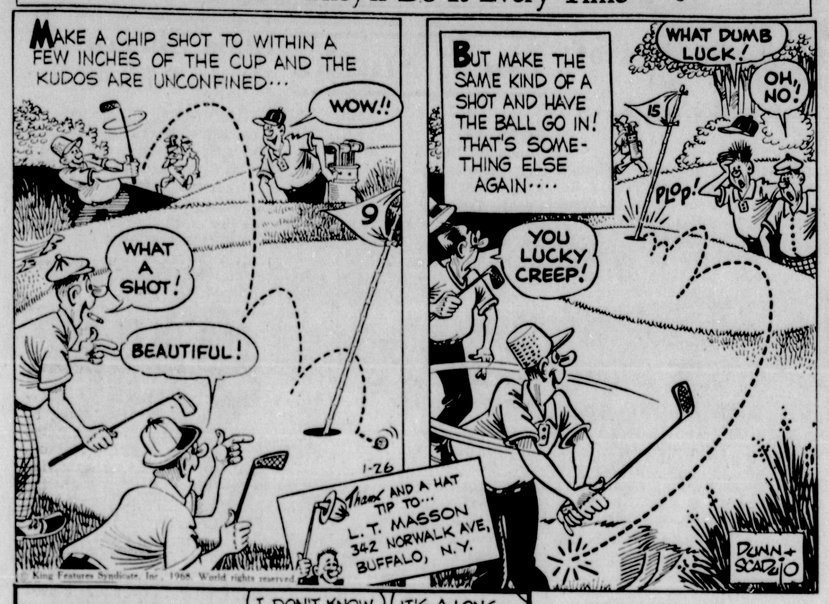

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8 For	38 Strange	68 Wing	
9 Take	39 Of	69 Gifts	
10 To	40 Places	70 Your	
11 Need	41 Some	71 Present	
12 A	42 Your	72 Attention	
13 Love	43 Or	73 Or	
14 Extremes	44 Mental	74 Your	
15 Circulate	45 Drink	75 Ideas	
16 Or	46 Rude	76 And	
17 Good	47 With	77 Message	
18 Sweep	48 Small	78 And	
19 The	49 Uncouth	79 Anew	
20 New	50 People	80 Outside	
21 Cosmetics	51 Everyday	81 Interest	
22 Care	52 Start	82 Spirited	
23 Money	53 Ornaments	83 Asking	
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Big Items

ACROSS

1 Big —— (tigers, lions, etc.)
5 Big ——, California
8 Big —— (London clock)
11 Ability to act
12 Brazilian wallaba
13 —— Marie Saint
14 Papal garment
15 Basic color
16 Bulgarian coin
17 Pointed missile weapon
18 Clergy
20 Part of a garment
22 Daylight saving time (ab.)
23 Food serving gadget
25 Big —— (jail, slang)
29 Turkish title
32 Enough (archaic)
34 Implore
35 Solemn pledges
37 "Emerald Isle"
39 Cyprinoid fish
40 Extemporize (coll.)
42 Require
44 Social beginner (coll.)
46 Dawdle
50 Postponed
54 Evergreen tree
55 Raw metal
56 Beverage
57 Frugal
58 Prime number
59 Possessed
60 Biblical king
61 Soak hemp
62 Public notices
63 Soviet lake

DOWN

1 Himalayan chamois
2 Cognizant
3 Dissolved
4 Before
5 Hindu garment
6 Set on end
7 Salad ingredient
8 Encircling strip
9 Always
10 Nation's sea force
11 Seed containers
18 Middle (law)
19 Halt
21 Contend
24 Big —— (western river)
26 Swiss canton
27 Dejected
28 Hurricane center
29 Hawaiian pepper
30 Deity
31 Shoemaker's tool
33 Exercise power
36 Lateral part
38 New (comb. form)
41 Big —— (large cannon)
43 Big —— (group of stars)
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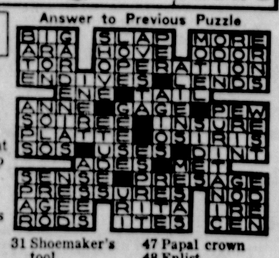

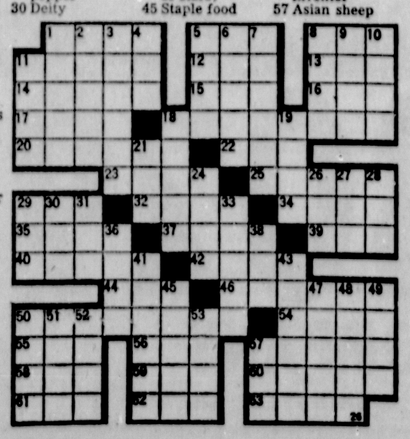

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Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1942, U.S. troops landed in northern Ireland. It was the first American Expeditionary Force to arrive in Europe in World War II.

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In 1679, the keel of the first commercial ship on the Great Lakes, "Le Griffon," was laid.

In 1837, Michigan joined the Union as the 26th state.

In 1861, Louisiana seceded from the United States.

In 1880, the late Gen. Douglas MacArthur was born.

In 1944, the World War II battle for the Anzio beachhead was raging in Italy.

In 1952, mobs in Cairo, Egypt, destroyed American, British and French property and burned the famous Shepheard's Hotel.

Ten years ago — The Soviet Union said Western bases around that country would have to be liquidated before there could be talks about ending production of intercontinental missiles.

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One year ago— President Lyndon B. Johnson dropped his 3.2 per cent guidepost for wage increases.

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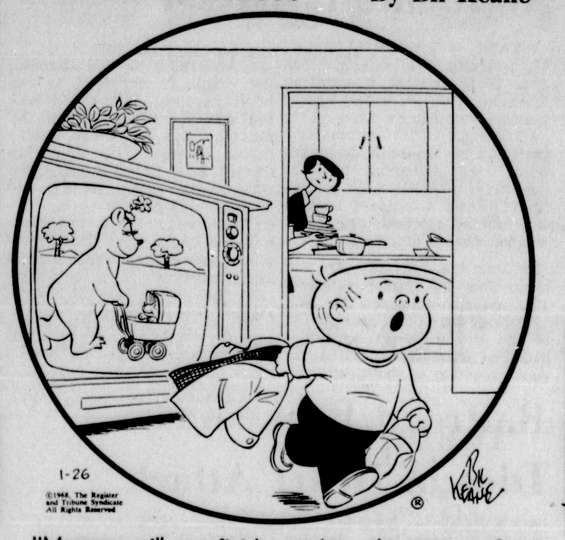

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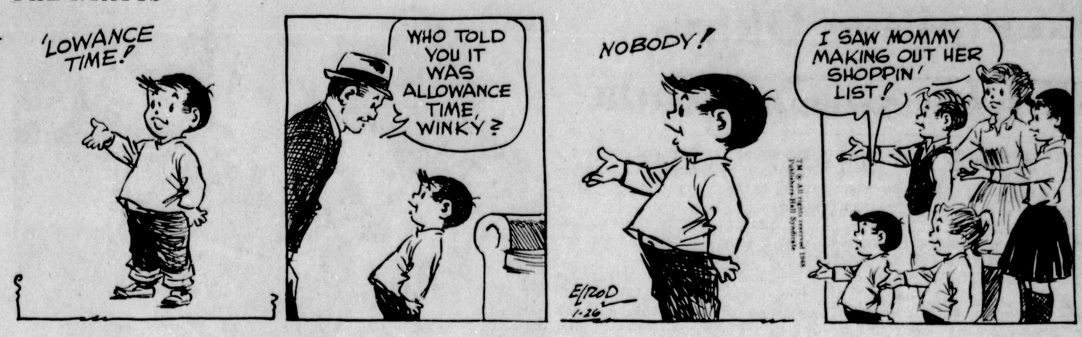

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Byrum was elected to the office at a meeting of the Chamber held Thursday night at the City Hall.

Dick Wiethan was elected vice president and Tom Chambers was named treasurer.

Elected to the board of directors were: three-year terms, John Howell and Andrew Atkins; two-year terms, J. D. Vineyard and Charles Clodfelter; one-year terms, Mart Bostic and Bob McMillian.

Divided Day

The day was divided into 24 hours late in the 4th century. Before that, the daylight period was divided into 12 hours and the night was divided into watches, meaning the times when the guards were changed.

Former Wyatt Resident Accidentally Killed

WYATT -- Troy David Carter, 15, a former Wyatt resident died Jan. 15 at Heights Hospital in Houston, Tex., of an accidental gunshot wound in the head.

ACCORDING TO information received by his family here, the youth was cleaning his .22 caliber revolver in a car in front of a house. A witness said he was looking into the barrel of the weapon when it discharged.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy D. Carter, Houston. The mispha occurred Jan. 14.

He was born and spent most of his life in Wyatt, where he attended elementary school. He was a member of Southland Baptist Church in Houston.

IN ADDITION to his parents, the youth is survived by two brothers, Leroy Carter of Houston and Roger Carter of the marine corps, San Diego, Calif.; three sisters, Miss Ella Sue Carter, Mrs. Donna Endsley, and Mrs. Martha Knupp, all of Houston; his grandfathers, C. R. Carter and Frank Stewart, both of Charleston; his great-grandmother, Mrs. Frankie Walker, Coffeeville.

Services were held at 2 p.m. chapel in Houston, Texas, Jan 16 at the Earthman Gulf with burial at Resthaven cemetery.

Railroad Brakeman Dies of Heart Attack

ROCKVIEW -- Services for Richard J. Brown, 55, who died Tuesday, while on duty as a Missouri Pacific railroad brakeman, six miles northwest of Chaffee, were held today, with burial in Calvary cemetery in St. Louis.

His body was removed from Bisplinghoff Funeral Home, Ilmo, to the Kassley Funeral Home in Cahokia, Ill.

The northbound freight train stopped on a siding near Rockview to let another train pass. Brown, who was suffering from a heart attack stepped from caboose and apparently applied a salve to his nose, when he slumped over beside the tracks at 8:30 p.m., according to Cornorer Gene Nunnelee.

The train pulled out and Brown missed at the next stop a later train was notified to be on lookout for the man. His body was found 30 minutes later by crewmen of the next passing train at 9:11 p.m., and bore no bruises. The bottle of respiratory salve clutched in his hand.

He was born Feb. 18, 1912 in Jefferson City, and had served as a breakman 26 years. A veteran of World War II, he served in a railroad operations battalion.

Surviving is his wife, Mrs. Myrtle Maness Brown of Cahokia.

QUICK QUIZ

Q—How does the rotation of the sun differ from that of the earth?

A—The earth rotates as a whole. The sun rotates as a gas or fluid: it rotates more rapidly at its equator than at its poles, varying from 25 to 34 days respectively. It rotates more slowly than the earth.

Q—What is the standard number of facets in which a diamond is cut?

A—Diamonds have been cut with as many as 140 or more facets, but the typical cut is 58.

National Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) - Estimates for Monday: hogs 8,500; cattle 4,500; calves 100; sheep 800.

Hogs 6,500; barrows and gilts steady to 25 lower; 1-2 190-230 lbs 19.00-19.50; 230-250 lbs. 18.50-19.00; 1-3 220-250 lbs. 18.25-19.00; sows steady to 25 higher; 14.25-16.50.

cattle 300; calves 25; no price trend; steers few high choice and prime 955-1,160 lbs. 25.75-26.25; cows 14.50 - 16.50; vealers an slaughter calves steady; choice vealers 33.00-37.00; good 29.00-33.00.

Sheep 100; nominal.

Peach Orchard Woman Dies of Gun Wound

GIDEON -- A 46-year-old Peach Orchard woman was fatally injured as a result of an apparent self - inflicted gunshot wound Monday. She was found lying on the bathroom floor in her home.

According to Dunklin County Sheriff Raymond Scott who reported the incident to Pemiscot County authorities, F. L. (Bill) Bynum, husband of the victim, had left the house to go to a gin next to his house to talk with his son, Gary.

A few minutes later his eight-year-old daughter ran into the gin and told Bynum that something was wrong with her mother.

Upon investigation, Bynum and his son found his wife, Mrs. Ilean Bynum, lying on the bathroom floor. A 38-caliber pistol was found near her. The incident occurred at 1:05 p.m.

Sheriff Scott said Mrs. Bynum was rushed to the Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in Kennett for emergency treatment. She died at 2:08 p.m. Monday from a gunshot wound in her head.

Mrs. Bynum's body was taken to the Russell Mortuary in Gideon where funeral arrangements were made.

Pemiscot County Coroner Jimmy Osburn said no inquest was held in the death.

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Anheuser Busch	87	88
Ark Mo Power	10¾	11¼
Fed. Compress	22½	23½
Front. Towner	1¼	1¾
Gen. Life of Wis	5⅞	6⅛
Jeff Std. Life	41	42
Malone and Hyde	27¼	28¼
Mid Amer. Ins.	3½	4½
No Amer. Comm.	11⅝	12¼
Pabst Brewing	65¾	66¾
Wetterau	24	25
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		37⅜
Amer Tel & Tel		51¾
Chrysler		34
Columbia Gas		27⅜
Eaton Mfg. Co.		31⅛
Emerson Electric		95½
Ford Motors		51⅞
Gen. Motors		78¾
New Eng. Elec.		27½
Transogram		19¼

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximare price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

A honeybee dies after it stings a person because it cannot free itself without tearing away part of its abdomen.

Elsie Sherrard Rites Saturday

MOREHOUSE - Services for Mrs. Elsie Sherrard, 67, who died Thursday morning, will be Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Nunnelee Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. A. C. Sullivant, officiating.

Members of Rebekah Lodge 589 will meet tonight at 8 p.m. in the funeral chapel.

Burial will be in City cemetery in Sikeston.

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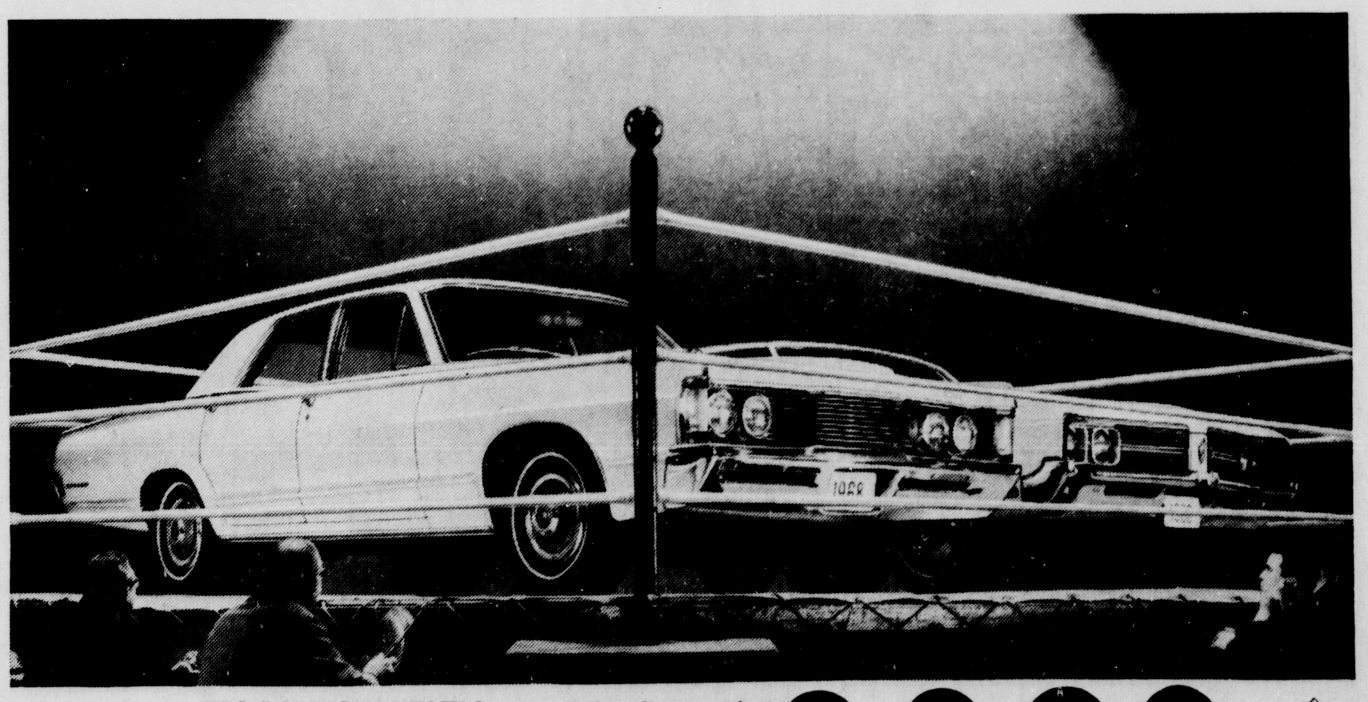

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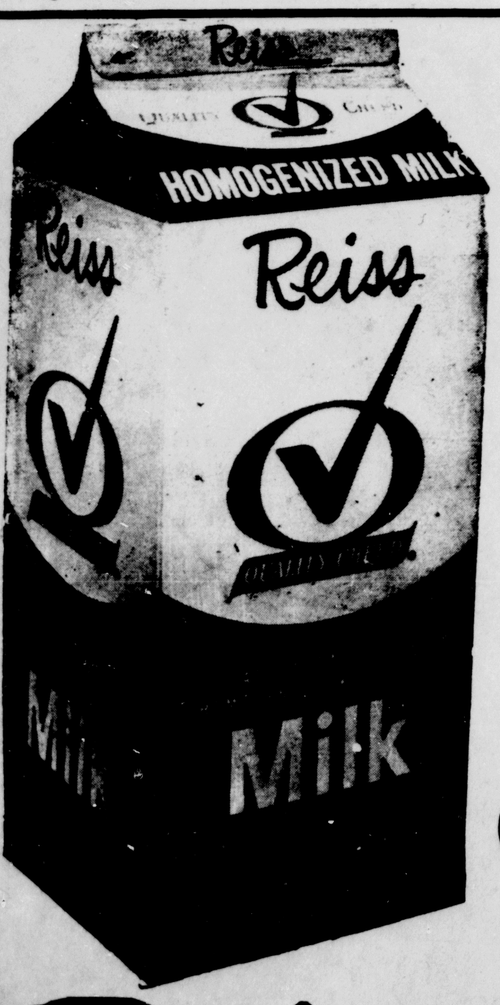

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Byrum New Chamber President

MALDEN -- J. D. Byrum, owner and manager of the Malden Insurance Agency, is the new president of the Malden Chamber of Commerce. He succeeds John A. Downing.

Byrum was elected to the office at a meeting of the Chamber held Thursday night at the City Hall.

Dick Wiethan was elected vice president and Tom Chambers was named treasurer.

Elected to the board of directors were: three-year terms, John Howell and Andrew Atkins; two-year terms, J. D. Vineyard and Charles Clodfelter; one-year terms, Mart Bostic and Bob McMillian.

Divided Day

The day was divided into 24 hours late in the 4th century. Before that, the daylight period was divided into 12 hours and the night was divided into watches, meaning the times when the guards were changed.

Former Wyatt Resident Accidentally Killed

WYATT -- Troy David Carter, 15, a former Wyatt resident died Jan. 15 at Heights Hospital in Houston, Tex., of an accidental gunshot wound in the head.

ACCORDING TO information received by his family here, the youth was cleaning his .22 caliber revolver in a car in front of a house. A witness said he was looking into the barrel of the weapon when it discharged.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy D. Carter, Houston. The mispha occurred Jan. 14.

He was born and spent most of his life in Wyatt, where he attended elementary school. He was a member of Southland Baptist Church in Houston.

IN ADDITION to his parents, the youth is survived by two brothers, Leroy Carter of Houston and Roger Carter of the marine corps, San Diego, Calif.; three sisters, Miss Ella Sue Carter, Mrs. Donna Endsley, and Mrs. Martha Knupp, all of Houston; his grandfathers, C. R. Carter and Frank Stewart, both of Charleston; his great-grandmother, Mrs. Frankie Walker, Coffeeville.

Services were held at 2 p.m. chapel in Houston, Texas, Jan 16 at the Earthman Gulf with burial at Resthaven cemetery.

Railroad Brakeman Dies of Heart Attack

ROCKVIEW -- Services for Richard J. Brown, 55, who died Tuesday, while on duty as a Missouri Pacific railroad brakeman, six miles northwest of Chaffee, were held today, with burial in Calvary cemetery in St. Louis.

His body was removed from Bisplinghoff Funeral Home, Ilmo, to the Kassley Funeral Home in Cahokia, Ill.

The northbound freight train stopped on a siding near Rockview to let another train pass. Brown, who was suffering from a heart attack stepped from caboose and apparently applied a salve to his nose, when he slumped over beside the tracks at 8:30 p.m., according to Cornorer Gene Nunnelee.

The train pulled out and Brown missed at the next stop a later train was notified to be on lookout for the man. His body was found 30 minutes later by crewmen of the next passing train at 9:11 p.m., and bore no bruises. The bottle of respiratory salve clutched in his hand.

He was born Feb. 18, 1912 in Jefferson City, and had served as a breakman 26 years. A veteran of World War II, he served in a railroad operations battalion.

Surviving is his wife, Mrs. Myrtle Maness Brown of Cahokia.

QUICK QUIZ

Q—How does the rotation of the sun differ from that of the earth?

A—The earth rotates as a whole. The sun rotates as a gas or fluid: it rotates more rapidly at its equator than at its poles, varying from 25 to 34 days respectively. It rotates more slowly than the earth.

Q—What is the standard number of facets in which a diamond is cut?

A—Diamonds have been cut with as many as 140 or more facets, but the typical cut is 58.

National Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) - Estimates for Monday: hogs 8,500; cattle 4,500; calves 100; sheep 800.

Hogs 6,500; barrows and gilts steady to 25 lower; 1-2 190-230 lbs 19.00-19.50; 230-250 lbs. 18.50-19.00; 1-3 220-250 lbs. 18.25-19.00; sows steady to 25 higher; 14.25-16.50.

cattle 300; calves 25; no price trend; steers few high choice and prime 955-1,160 lbs. 25.75-26.25; cows 14.50 - 16.50; vealers an slaughter calves steady; choice vealers 33.00-37.00; good 29.00-33.00.

Sheep 100; nominal.

Peach Orchard Woman Dies of Gun Wound

GIDEON -- A 46-year-old Peach Orchard woman was fatally injured as a result of an apparent self - inflicted gunshot wound Monday. She was found lying on the bathroom floor in her home.

According to Dunklin County Sheriff Raymond Scott who reported the incident to Pemiscot County authorities, F. L. (Bill) Bynum, husband of the victim, had left the house to go to a gin next to his house to talk with his son, Gary.

A few minutes later his eight-year-old daughter ran into the gin and told Bynum that something was wrong with her mother.

Upon investigation, Bynum and his son found his wife, Mrs. Ilean Bynum, lying on the bathroom floor. A 38-caliber pistol was found near her. The incident occurred at 1:05 p.m.

Sheriff Scott said Mrs. Bynum was rushed to the Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in Kennett for emergency treatment. She died at 2:08 p.m. Monday from a gunshot wound in her head.

Mrs. Bynum's body was taken to the Russell Mortuary in Gideon where funeral arrangements were made.

Pemiscot County Coroner Jimmy Osburn said no inquest was held in the death.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
Airlift Int.	5	5¼
Anheuser Busch	87	88
Ark Mo Power	10¾	11¼
Fed. Compress	22½	23½
Front. Towner	1¼	1¾
Gen. Life of Wis	5⅞	6⅛
Jeff Std. Life	41	42
Malone and Hyde	27¼	28¼
Mid Amer. Ins.	3½	4½
No Amer. Comm.	11⅝	12¼
Pabst Brewing	65¾	66¾
Wetterau	24	25
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		37⅜
Amer Tel & Tel		51¾
Chrysler		34
Columbia Gas		27⅜
Eaton Mfg. Co.		31⅛
Emerson Electric		95½
Ford Motors		51⅞
Gen. Motors		78¾
New Eng. Elec.		27½
Transogram		19¼

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximare price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

A honeybee dies after it stings a person because it cannot free itself without tearing away part of its abdomen.

Elsie Sherrard Rites Saturday

MOREHOUSE - Services for Mrs. Elsie Sherrard, 67, who died Thursday morning, will be Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Nunnelee Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. A. C. Sullivant, officiating.

Members of Rebekah Lodge 589 will meet tonight at 8 p.m. in the funeral chapel.

Burial will be in City cemetery in Sikeston.

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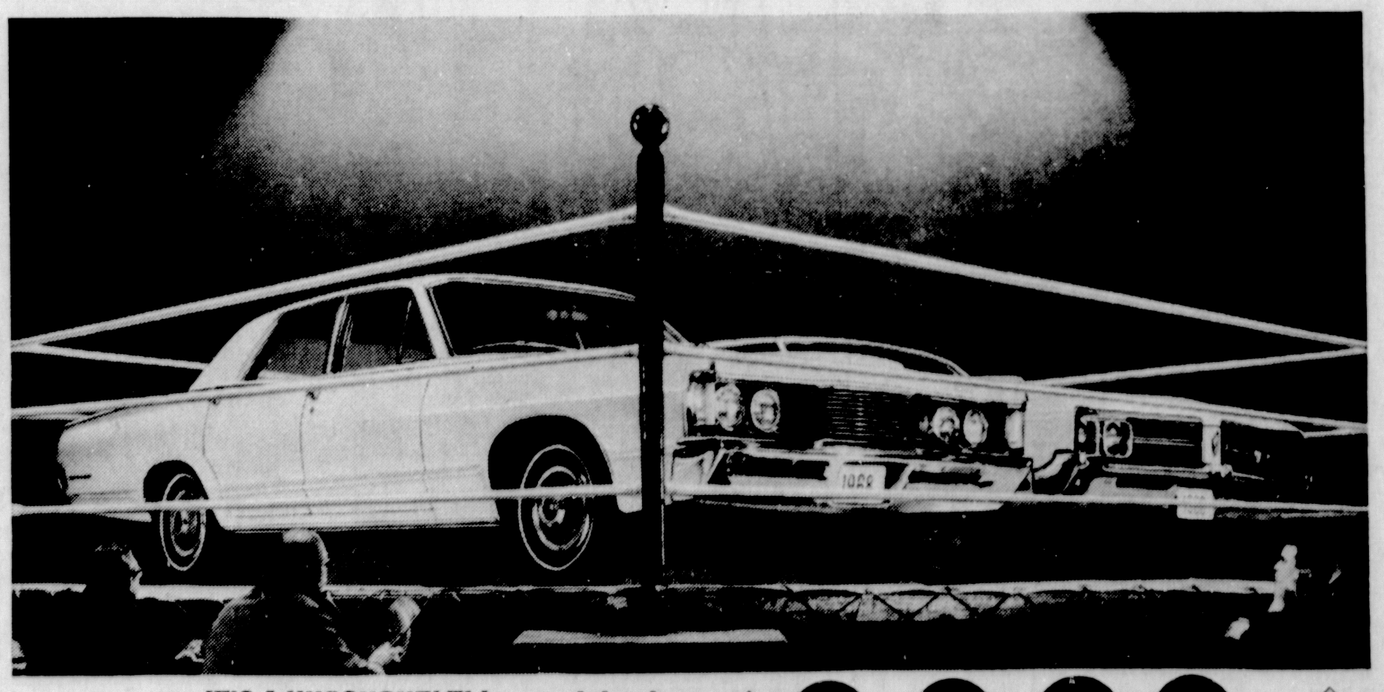

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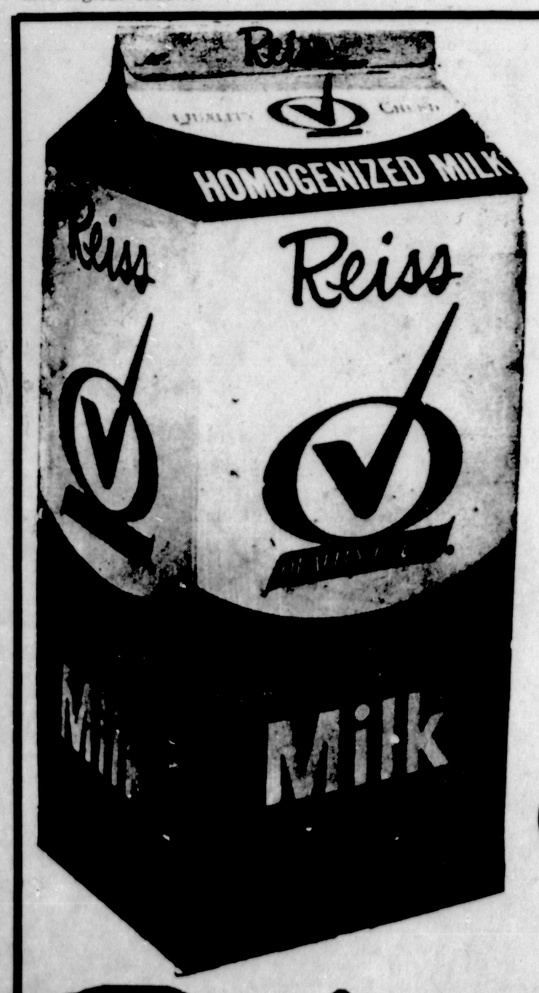

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